

Principal Combs and Mr. J. Stover observe firemen bringing fire behind school under control



Students enjoy school donce ofter last footboll gome



COLONNADE editor A. Griffin reports progress to Mr. Dooley, printer representative



Student Emcee J. Yowell canducts Saturday night teen-oge rodio progrom



C. Collahan, S. Willis and J. Coffman tolk over plans with college representative in Coreer Doy Program



Miss L. Thornhill (right) shows "back to school" porents old COLONNADES





Mr. W. Ellinghous congratulates first-place win-Lines of students await service at school stare ner of the "ISpeak for Democracy" cantest, M. Harding, and runners-up E. Ragers and L. Nelsan



"It's mine," say J. Burke and P. Corder os they race far the one chair, in o game of musical choirs of the Junior Managram party



Students rush to cars and buses of the 3:15 bell



Mr. Cambs presents high salesman B. Narris, wrist watch



Lion's Club members give eye test to student



Culpeper members help visiting SCA'ers register of the District meeting



Music of lunch-time provides opportunity for dancing



SCA ponelists discuss "Your Reputation-Good or Bod"



FFA boys measure poison to sell to formers for rot extermination



doily hot meol



Student workers in cafeterio help serve the Members of the Junior Dromotic Club caught in a scene from their play



FFA float posses "Main and Dovis" in Hamecoming parode



Hall sisters perform of the Sweetheart Catillion



Hamerooms ratate an schedule far care of grounds



FBLA members serve cookies, punch ot get-acquainted social



Privileged Seniors enjoy lunch table to themselves



Members of the staff sign each others COLONNADES at the annual banquet

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In this, the 1955 COLONNADE, the staff has tried to portray a typical school year at Culpeper High School, but to record particularly the activities and events that set the year apart from every other year. The staff has worked to produce a book which will serve as a memory book and as a school record. To give a better picture two typical students will conduct a tour extending from September through May. The staff at this time introduces the leaders of the tour, Johnny Bluedevil and Mary Devilette. Mary now speaks.

"Hello! This is Johnny Bluedevil, and I am Mary Devilette. We will conduct you through a year at Culpeper High School. During the tour we will introduce our teachers and all our friends. We will show you the new stadium, and take you to our Homecoming, our parties, and club meetings. Johnny will show you the new fashions for boys, and I will show you them for girls.

"We cannot include every detail but we will bring to you the things which we think made this an important year for the school and community. Get ready to follow us."

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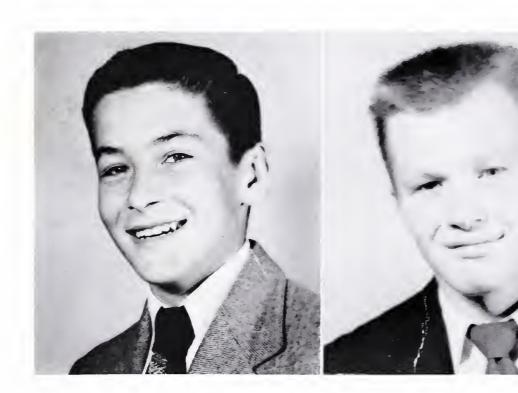








Memory of Hoffman, Inskeep Cherished



CLAUDE STANLEY HOFFMAN "Stuff"

"To live in hearts we leave behind is not to die."

THOMAS CAMPBELL

JANUARY 2, 1937—JULY 6, 1954

SCA, 1. 4. Chairman Ushers' Committee, 4; President of Class. 2, 3, 4: Junior Dramatic Club. 2: Junior Varsity Basketball, 2, 3: Junior Varsity Monogram Club. 3. 4. President, 3: Pan American Club. 4: Varsity Football, 4: Track, 4.

JOHN ASHBY INSKEEP "Jack"

"To live in hearts we leave behind is not to die."

THOMAS CAMPBELL

June 5, 1935—July 6, 1954

Varsity Football, 2, 3, 4, Elected Captain, 5; Boys' Varsity Monogram Club, 2, 3, 4; Stamp Club, 3.

Staff Honors Mrs. Witt For Service



Mrs. Gordon Witt

Mrs. Gordon Witt has been a member of the Culpeper County High School faculty for ten years. During this time she has given freely to the students of her time and patience. Mrs. Witt has been the adviser of the Dramatic Club for five years, during which time she directed at least two or more plays a year. Her interest and love of dramatics made it possible for the Dramatic Club to continue its good

work. Not only for five years has Mrs. Witt directed the Dramatic Club but for that same number of years she has also been sponsor of the Freshman Class.

It is with gratitude and appreciation that the Colonnade Staff dedicates this 1955 Colonnade to Mrs. Gordon Witt.

Teachers Promote Community Activities



Principal James Combs and Assistant Principal Joseph Hafer, top left, extend their congratulations to Miss Virginia Lewis, the president-elect of the Virginia Educational Association. Mrs. William Houck and Miss Gertrude Lewis, top right, co-chairmen of the March of Dimes campaign, work on the tabulation report at the close of the March of Dimes Drive. Mr. Joseph Hafer, bottom left, president of the Culpeper County Educational Association, calls the meeting to order. Mrs. J. O. Shepherd, bottom right, member of the English Faculty Committee, works on her reading chart for one of her classes.

Both community and profession called on teachers for leadership and participation in many jobs besides classroom activities. Besides helping to conduct drives for Red Cross, Christmas Seals, and Polio in the school, teachers are found constantly helping out in all the different parts of the community. For several years members of the faculty have been chairmen of the March of Dimes Drive in the community.

Faculty members can be found busy at work in such community organizations as the Jaycees, Jayceettes, Lions Club, Business and Professional Women's Club, Rescue Squad, Firemen, Rotary, PTA, AAUW, Garden Clubs, Churches, Reserves, and Ruritan.

Faculty members of Culpeper High School headed both the local and the state professional organizations this year.



CHAPTER I

"Mary and I would like to introduce to you the administrators and teachers. The administrators see that we have the proper studies in school and make sure our school is a good one. Besides teaching us 'readin', writin', and 'rithmetic' the teachers give us advice and help in our problems. A guidance committee, one member of which is in the guidance office each period, helps students with his or her problems. Members of the guidance committee are not, however, the only teachers who help. All the members of the faculty are glad

to help us when we need advice and someone to whom to talk.

"The teachers go beyond the call of duty and assist with outside duties. There are one or more teachers who advise every club. They are in attendance at meetings in school, and also sponsor outside activities, such as dances, field trips, and convention trips. They chaperone dances, bus trips, and other school-sponsored events which students attend. You can see why Mary and I are proud of our teachers. Turn the following page and meet these teachers and friends."

Administrators Advance Student Welfare



Mr. RAPHAEL H. DAUGHERTY B.S., M.A., West Virginia University Director of Instruction



Mrs. Earl W. White B.S., Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia; University of Virginia Visiting Teacher



MRS. JAMES W. Ross A.B., Miami University Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia Eighth Grade Co-Ordinator



School Board of Culpeper County: Mrs. Gertrude Shadrach, Cedar Mountain District; Miss Minnie Burton, School Board Clerk; Mr. Fred Huffman, School Board Chairman, Salem District; Mr. Paul Hounshell, Superin-

tendent of Schools; Mr. Maxwell Willis, Catalpa District; Mr. James Button, Jefferson District; Mr. William Spilman, Stevensburg District.

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Mr. James H. Combs M.Ed., Duke University Principal



Mr. Joseph Hafer A.B.Ed., Fairmont State College Assistant Principal School Treasurer Algebra, Geometry, Physics



*Mrs. Walter Thomas Secretary to Principal

*Resigned.



Mrs. H. Powell Button Averett College Secretary to Principal

Faculty Members Twenty-Seven



MR. FLOYD T. BINNS
B.A., University of Richmond;
B.D., Colgate-Rochester Divinity
School
Civics, United States History

Chairman Social Studies Faculty Committee, Guidance Faculty Committee; Sponsor School Store, Senior Class; Coach Girls' Junior Varsity Basketball, Softball



MISS MARY GEORGE BOLEN
B.S., Longwood College;
Columbia University; University
of Virginia
Librarian

Adviser COLONNADE, Library Club; Co-Adviser Quill and Scroll



Miss Lucy Botts
B.A., Madison College
English, Social Studies
Assistant Adviser Dramatic Club;
English Faculty Committee, Social
Studies Faculty Committee



MISS MARGARET E. BROWN B.A., Westhampton College Mathematics Assistant Adviser Junior Dramatic Club; Mathematics Faculty Com-



B.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute

Focational Agriculture, Diversified
Occupations

Adviser Diversified Occupation
Club, FFA; Vocational Faculty
Committee

Mr. SHIRLEY C. BROYLES



Mrs. Howard Culpepper
B.S., Madison College; M.A.,
Columbia University
English, Science
Assistant Adviser Science Club;
Science Faculty Committee,
English Faculty Committee

Instruct, Advise, Counsel



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Office Training
Adviser Distributors' Club, Assistant Adviser COLONNADE



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B.S., East Carolina College
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Adviser 4-H Club; Vocational
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Home Economics
Adviser FHA; Vocational Faculty
Committee



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B.S., Mary Washington College
of the University of Virginia
Shorthand, Typing
Adviser FBLA; Assistant Adviser
Colonnade; Chairman Business
Faculty Committee, Guidance
Faculty Committee



Miss Mildred C. Jones
B.A., Westhampton; University of
Virginia
English, History
Adviser Junior Dramatic Club;
Social Studies Faculty Committee,
English Faculty Committee



Miss Gertrude D. Lewis B.A., Westhampton College English. Journalism Adviser Pepergram, Co-Adviser Quill and Scroll; Chairman Guidance Faculty Committee, Chairman English Faculty Committee

Have VEA Head In Midst



Miss Virginia E. Lewis
B.S., Mary Washington College of
the University of Virginia
Biology, Chemistry
General Science
Adviser SCA, Science Club, Monitors' Committee; Sponsor Sophomore Class: Guidance Faculty
Committee, Science Faculty Committee, Science Faculty



Mr. John S. Long
B.S., Virginia Polytechnic
Institute

Tocational Agriculture
Adviser Hi-Y, Assistant Adviser
FFA; Vocational Faculty Committee



Miss Margaret Massey
B.S., Radford College
Typing, General Business
Assistant Adviser FBLA; Commercial Faculty Committee



Mrs. Howard R. McCall B.S., Madison College Typing, Business Arithmetic Bookkeeping Assistant Adviser FBLA. Adviser Clean-Up Committee;

Commercial Faculty Commit-

tee



Mrs. Franklin Rosson
B.A., Susquehanna University

Fralish Social Studies Span

English, Social Studies, Spanish

Adviser Tri-Hi-Y, Junior Tri-Hi-Y, Pan American Club; Guidance Faculty Committee, English Faculty Committee. Social Studies Faculty Committee



Miss Eugenia Sanford B.F.A., Richmond Professional Institute; King College Art, English Adviser Art Club, Junior Red

Adviser Art Club, Junior Red Cross, Bonds and Stamps Committee; English Faculty Committee



Mrs. James O. Shepherd B.S., University of Virginia English

Sponsor Senior Play; English Faculty Committee

Guide Students for Present, Future



MISS SARA WARD SHERMAN B.S., Westhampton College Physical Education Adviser Girls' Monogram Club, Cheerleaders: Coach Girls' Varsity Basketball; Physical Ed Faculty Committee



MR. JAMES N. STOVER B.S., Madison College Physical Education, Athletic Director Adviser Ushers' Committee; Coach Varsity Basketball, Junior Varsity Football, Field Coach Track; Physical Ed Faculty Committee



MR. WALTER L. THOMAS B.S., Mansfield State Teachers College Band, Glee Club, Music Adviser Band, Senior Glee Club, Junior Glee Club



Miss Laura Thornhill B.A., Westhampton College; B.A., Glenville State College University of North Carolina; William and Mary Latin, United States History, World History

mittee



Science, Mathematics Adviser Junior Monogram Club, Assistant Adviser Science Club; Coach Baseball, Adviser Olympic Council; Junior Varsity Basketball, Sponsor Junior Class; Guid- Line Coach Football; Science ance Faculty Committee, Faculty Committee, Math-Social Studies Faculty Com- ematics Faculty Committee

Mr. Bobby J. Walker



Mr. James J. Wayland B.A., Stetson University English, Social Studies, Physical Education Coach Football, Track; Social

Studies Faculty Committee. English Faculty Committee



Mrs. Gordon B. Witt B.S., University of Virginia Mathematics, Algebra Adviser Dramatic Club; Sponsor Freshman Class; Guidance Faculty Committee, Mathematics Faculty Committee

Curriculum Offers



Mr. Walter Thomas, band director, top, instructs Hugh Hawkins, Otis Feaganes, and Lucille Jones in the playing of their band instruments. C. Chilton and G. Stover, bottom

left, jump to hit volleyball across net to W. Leathers. D. Dillard, bottom right, serves as helper as D. Young does a somersault.

The basic purpose of the high school is to train youth to become good citizens. The faculty and administration of Culpeper High School strive to achieve this purpose through an organized program of classroom instruction and co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. Through these media boys and girls at Culpeper High School acquire basic knowledge, skills, desirable traits, and appreciation that will help them in everyday living or further learning. Opportunity is present for developing abilities to read, to listen, to express one's self

in writing or orally, to use mathematics accurately, to make wise use of time, and to recognize and solve problems. School experiences whether in traditional or informal class exercises, or in club programs and activity are designed to effectively meet the students' needs.

In order to graduate from Culpeper High School a student must have completed five years of secondary school work and must have acquired sixteen high school Carnegie units.

Physical education and the eighth grade are required but do not give any Carnegie units.

Various Fields of Learning



Mr. Charles Stringfellow, top, shows Mr. John Long, Vincent Haught, and Ralph Atkins the newest tractor on the market. Miss Nancy Giles, practice teacher from

Madison College, bottom, helps Edna Carroll, homemaking student, baste her dress.

Culpeper High School offers three courses: general, college preparatory, and commercial. Basic graduation requirements common to all three courses are four units of English, one of United States history, and one of senior civics.

For students not planning to attend college the general course is the most valuable of the courses offered. Before completing the general course, a student must have two units of mathematics, and one of science, in addition to the basic subjects required of all. For the remainder of the sixteen necessary units he may choose from a wide variety of electives including home economics, agriculture, shop, art, music, Latin, Spanish, chemistry, physics, journalism, biology, algebra, geometry, trigonometry, world history, DE, DO, and commercial subjects—business arithmetic, shorthand, bookkeeping, and typing—provided there is sufficient room in these classes.

Boys and girls electing DE and DO, which may be taken during the junior and senior years only, come to school each morning and take a class in distributive education or diversified occupations in addition to their required subjects and then work in town in the afternoon.

For Future Leaders



Jeanette Bledsoe and Benjamin Brown, top, do practice work on the new office equipment, the dictaphone. Mrs. Howard McCall, bottom, instructs students Shirley Whit-

lock, Duane Dibble, Linda Guinn, and Betty Hitt on the use of the different ledgers in bookkeeping.

The commercial course was planned for students desiring to do secretarial or commercial work. Boys and girls who enroll in this course must have the ability to think clearly, and to do careful, accurate, and speedy work. Some Culpeper High School graduates begin their full-time office work immediately after completing their high school commercial course; others prefer to further their skill by additional training in a secretarial school or college.

A student taking the commercial course must meet the basic graduation requirements

common to all courses, he must have two units of mathematics including business arithmetic, and one of science, and he must complete the following commercial subjects: general business, office practice, Shorthand I and II, Typing I and II, bookkeeping, and office practice.

Many who take the commercial course do part-time work in various businesses during their last year of high school. This work program, designed to help students "learn by doing" is a part of the office practice class and is supervised by the office practice instructor.

Of America



Miss Laura Thornhill, top, shows Latin students Sarah Willis, Donna Callahan, Virginia Parker, Cherry Gorham, and Ann Rawlings, the picture of Venus de Milo which was presented to the school. Algebra students, bottom, Alexan-

der Swan, Sarah Willis, Joyce Tutwiler, Jacquelin Coffman, and Frederic Brault listen with attentive interest as Miss Margaret Brown explains the problem.

Students planning to attend college follow the course of study known as the college preparatory course.

Culpeper High School's offering in this course is sufficiently broad to enable its graduates to meet the entrance requirements of any college. Since entrance requirements for the various colleges differ somewhat, it is well for a college-bound student to decide upon a college as early as his sophomore year so that he can choose those subjects which will prepare him to enter the specific school of his choice. Only those students making "A", "B", or "C"

grades are recommended for college.

The college preparatory student must take the English, United States history, and civics required of all. He must also have two units of algebra, one of plane geometry, and two of science. To complete his sixteen units for graduation he should choose from the following list of courses: Latin, Spanish, chemistry, physics, world history, solid geometry, trigonometry, and typing. In choosing he should be guided by the entrance requirements of the college he plans to attend.

Employees Advance School Program



BUS DRIVERS

Front row: J. Hawkins, T. Settle. Second row: W. Burton, E. Hensley, Mrs. I. Harding, Mrs. A. Estes, Mr. W. Thompson, Mr. J. Tharpe. Third row: G. Timmons, W. Cunningham, Mrs. W. Thompson, Mr. A. Estes, Mr. H. Hawkins.



CAFETERIA WORKERS Mrs. R. Hunt, Mrs. W. Thompson, Mrs. C. Noakes.







CHAPTER II

"On the next pages are our friends who attend school with us—560 of them. We go together to club meetings, assemblies, frequent the library and attend six classes and study hall. We are constantly with friends whether it be in clubs, in the lunch or candy line, or riding the buses to school. Our friendship does not lapse when 3:15 comes, for we also see each other at school dances, football and basketball games, band concerts, and other outside activities organized for us.

"Styles come and go. This year we acquired the short hair cuts for the girls. Of course, I got one. The duck hair cuts made the boys complete as you can see by Johnny. The boys began wearing pink shirts with charcoal pants and pink ties and socks to match. Knee length socks and long beads became a big thing with the girls. Both boys and girls became interested in pastel sweaters. We all strove to keep up with new styles.

"Come on and follow us and meet our friends."



Mr. F. Binns, P. Dulin, J. Bledsoe, M. Kilby, J. Burke, B. Carpenter

Committees View Past, Present, Future

Peggy DulinPresid	ent
MAXINE KILBY Vice Presid	ent
JEANETTE BLEDSOE	ary
Beverley Carpenter	rer
Joel Burke	rter
Mr. Floyd Binns	sor

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

Kathleen Yancey, Chairman Audrey Covell Virginia Curtis Margaret Harding

CLASS PROPHECY

Audrey Printz, Chairman Barbara Clatterbuck Sylvia Myers

CLASS MOTTO

ANN GRIFFIN DOROTHY HITT

CLASS COLORS

JEAN WOOLFREY BARBARA SPILMAN

CLASS POEM

Rosemary Haught, Chairman Madeline Eaheart Lenora Sims

CLASS SONG

EMILY ROGERS, Chairman BARBARA SPILMAN FRANCES KIBLER

CLASS HISTORY

BEVERLEY CARPENTER, Chairman Maxine Kilby Shirley Stultz

CLASS GIFT

Elizabeth Feaganes, Chairman Jean Woolfrey Barbara Dulin

Seniors of '55

JANE ANN AMOS, "Pickie" Commercial

CHARLENE LEE BACHE, "Charlene"
Commercial

JAMES STAFFORD BACHE, "Bucky" General

JUDITH ANN BALLINGER, "Judy" Commercial

MILDRED FRANCES BARFIELD, "Fran"
General

ROGER LAWRENCE BAUMGARDNER,
General "Bummy"

RICHARD HENRY BAYNE, JR., "Shadow" College Preparatory

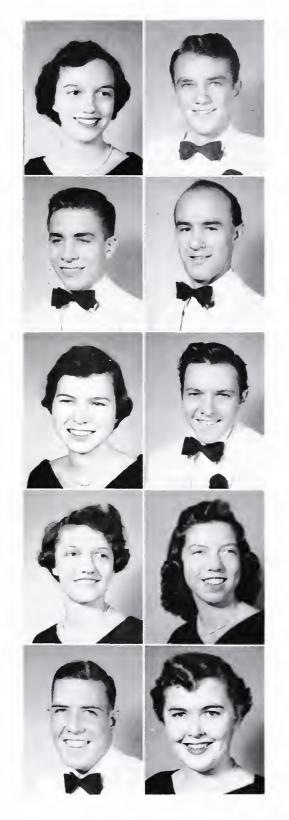
SHELBY JEANETTE BLEDSOE, "Net" Commercial

JOHN BENJAMIN BROWN, "Benny" Commercial

RANDOLPH NOAKES BROWN, "Footsie"
General



Make Official Debut at Assembly



WINNIE MAE BROWN, "Jinks"

Commercial

GEORGE WASHINGTON BRYSON, "Jr."
General

JOEL MELTON BURKE, "Joe" College Preparatory

PAUL RICHARD CARDER, "Paul Richard" General

BEVERLEY IRENE CARPENTER, "Bev" College Preparatory

ARTHUR LOWENBACK CARROLL, JR., "Boo" General

EDNA JOAN CARROLL, "Eddie" General

CATHERINE ELIZABETH CARTER, "Kay" Commercial

CHARLES BLACKWELL CHILTON, JR.,
College Preparatory "Lakota"

BARBARA ANNE CLATTERBUCK, "Bobbie" General

Smile Gleefully at Rings

DAVID KELLY COATES, "Chigger" College Preparatory

STUART TALMAGE COLVIN, "Stuart" College Preparatory

JAMES JAVAN COMBS, "Jay" College Preparatory

BETTY ESTELLE COOK, "Cookie" General

THOMAS VIRGIL CORBIN, "Mutt" General

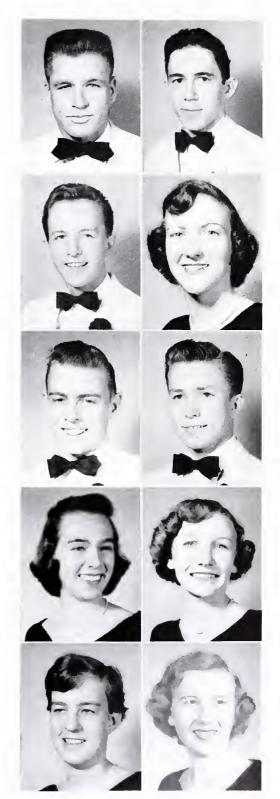
ROBERT GIBSON CORDER, "Bobby" College Preparatory

ELEANOR AUDREY COVELL, "Audrey" College Preparatory

VIRGINIA GRANT CURTIS, "Ginny"
General

MARJORIE ANN DEAL, "Margie" General

HELEN GERTRUDE DODSON, "Gertrude" General



Are Measured for Caps, Gowns



BARBARA JEAN DULIN, "Dulin" College Preparatory

PEGGY ANN DULIN, "Dulin" College Preparatory

MADELINE ELSIE EAHEART, "Maggie" Commercial

ELIZABETH RUTH FEAGANES, "Betsy" Commercial

WILMA IRENE GREER, "Rennie" Commercial

ELIZABETH ANN GRIFFIN, "Pud"
Commercial

MARGARET KATHERINE HARDING, "Marty" College Preparatory

ROSEMARY HAUGHT, "Rosemary" College Preparatory

CHARLES WILLIAM HAWKINS, "Billy" General

JOHN THOMAS HEFLIN III, "Johnny" General

Choose Calling Cards, Invitations

EVANS HAIRM HENSLEY, "Evans"
General

FRANCES MARIE HENSLEY, "Fanny" General

JOYCE AMELIA HILTON, "Jay" Commercial

BETTY ANN HITT, "Title Bug" General

DOROTHY SUSIE HITT, "Dot"
Commercial

JEAN ELIZABETH HOPKINS, "Jeanie" Commercial

JOHN LESTER JAMES, "John" General

MARSHALL IRVIN JENKINS, "Marshall"
General

THOMAS LESTER JENKINS, "Red" General

IDA PATRICIA KEYS, "Patsy" General



Listen Attentively to Career Advice



FRANCES MILDRED KIBLER, "Shanky" College Preparatory

JAMES GRANVILLE KIBLER, "Jimmy" General

ELIZABETH MAXINE KILBY, "Max" College Preparatory

LAWRENCE WINFREY LEAVELL, "Doc" General

FRANCES LOU McDOWELL, "Lou" General

ALICE LOUISE MONTGOMERY, "Alice"
Commercial

ROSE MARIE MOONEY, "Rhodie" College Preparatory

BARBARA JEAN MYERS, "Bobbie Jean"
General

ROGER VINCENT MYERS, "Took" General

SHELBY JEAN MYERS, "Shelby"
General

Debate at Forensic Meet

SYLVIA BLANCHE MYERS, "Sylvia" Commercial

BETTY LEA NORRIS, "Betty Lea" Commercial

BARBARA JEANNE POUND, "Pound" Commercial

PEGGY ANNE PRIEST, "Peg" Commercial

AUDREY RAY PRINTZ, "Audrey" Commercial

HARRELL WILLIAM PRITT, "Harrell"
General

WILLIAM WAYNE PYCHA, "Wayne"
General

CAROLE JANE REYNOLDS, "Carole" General

EMILY LOU ROGERS, "Emily Lou" College Preparatory

JEAN ELIZABETH SETTLE, "Jean"
General



Present "Jane Eyre"



SHIRLEY ANN SETTLE, "Shirl" General

LENORA PEARL SIMS, "No" General

MARY ANNA SISK, "Sis" General

ELIZABETH VIRGINIA SPEIDEN, "Boots" College Preparatory

BARBARA LEE SPILMAN, "Spilly" College Preparatory

SHIRLEY NORMAN STULTZ, "Stultz" Commercial

RUTH JEAN TINSLEY, "Jean" Commercial

LAWRENCE BROWN WAYLAND, "Julian" College Preparatory

SHIRLEY MAE WHITLOCK, "Whitlock" General

CLYDE ALVIN WILSON, JR., "Alvin"
General

With Tearful Eyes Say Good-Bye

BETTY JEAN WOOLFREY, "Wolf"
College Preparatory

KATHLEEN BARRON YANCEY, "Kat" College Preparatory

JESSE MASON YOWELL, JR., "Mace" College Preparatory



Girls Outnumber Boys 54-29

Amos, Jane Ann: Junior Glee Club, 1, 2; Library Club, 3, 4; FBLA, 3, 4, 5, Reporter, 3, Secretary, 4.

Bache, Charlene Lee: Junior Glee Club, 1, 2; FBLA, 3, 4, 5, Treasurer, 5.

Bache, James Stafford: Junior Monogram Club, 2, 3, 4, 5, Secretary, 3, President, 4; Junior Varsity Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Junior Varsity Football, 2, 3, 4; SCA, 4; Clean-Up Committee Chairman, 4; Track, 3; Basketball, 5.

Ballinger, Judith Ann: FBLA, 4, 5.

Barfield, Mildred Frances: Softball, 4, 5, Manager, 4; Monogram Club, 5.

Baumgardner, Roger Lawrence: 4-H Club, 1, 2, 3; Junior Glee Club, 1; DO Club, 5, Secretary, 5.

Bayne, Richard Henry, Jr.: 4-H Club, 1; Science Club, 3, 4, 5, Treasurer, 5; Junior Monogram Club, 3, 4; Junior Varsity Football, 3; Junior Varsity Basketball, 3; Track, 4; Football, 4; Pan American Club, 4, 5, Vice President, 5; Hi-Y, 5; Basketball, 4; Monitors' Committee, 5; Clean-Up Committee, 5.

Bledsoe, Shelby Jeanette: 4-H Club, 1; Junior Glee Club, 1; Glee Club, 2; Junior Varsity Basketball, 3; Basketball, 4, Manager, 4; Colonnade, 4.

Brown, John Benjamin: 4-H Club, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, President, 5; Dramatic Club, 1, 2; Junior Glee Club, 1, 2; FBLA, 3, 4, 5, First Vice President, 4, 5; Hi-Y, 4, 5, Secretary, 5.

Brown, Randolph Noakes: Glee Club, 4; DO Club, 5, President, 5; Junior Monogram Club, 3, Vice President, 3.

Brown, Winnie Mae: FHA, 1; FBLA, 2, 3, 4, 5; Softball, 2, 3, 4, 5, Co-Captain, 5; Monogram Club, 3, 4, 5; Safety Council, 5, Secretary-Treasurer, 5; Tri-Hi-Y, 4.

Bryson, George Washington: Junior Glee Club, 1; 4-H Club, 1; Junior Monogram Club, 4, 5.

Burke, Joel Melton: Junior Dramatic Club, 1, 2; Dramatic Club, 3, 4, 5, Vice President, 4, President, 5; Olympic Council, 3; Junior Varsity Football, 3; Junior Varsity Basketball, 3, 4; COLONNADE, 4, 5, Chief Photographer, 5; Pepergram, 4, Chief Photographer, 4; Pan American Club, 4, 5, Reporter, 5; Science Club, 4; Junior Monogram Club, 4, 5; SCA, 5.

CARDER, PAUL RICHARD: Junior Monogram Club, 2, 3, 4: Safety Council, 2, 3, Vice President, 2: Football, 3, 4: Track, 3, 4: Monogram Club, 4: Distributors' Club, 5: Science Club, 3.

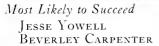
CARPENTER, BEVERLEY IRENE: Pepergram, I, 2, 3, 4, 5, Assistant Editor, 4; Junior Dramatic Club, 1, 2; Junior Glec Club, 1; 4-H Club, 1; Cheerleader, 2, 3, 5; Junior Varsity Basketball, 2, 3; Basketball, 4; Bonds and Stamps Committee, 3; Olympic Council, 3; Choral Music, 3; Pan American Club, 4, 5; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5, President, 5; Quill and Scroll, 4, 5; Monogram Club, 4, 5; Recreation Committee, 4; COLONNADE, 5; Organization Editor, 5; Treasurer of Class, 5; Monitors' Committee, 5; SCA, 5; Glec Club, 5.

CARROLL, ARTHUR LOWENBACK, JR.: Junior Varsity Football, 1; Junior Varsity Basketball, 2, 3, 4, Captain, 4; DO Club, 4, 5, President, 5; Glee Club, 5; Basketball, 5; Bonds and Stamps Committee, 3.

Carroll, Edna Joan: Marshall High School, Fauquier County, Virginia: Tri-Hi-Y, 1, 2; Glee Club, 1, 2. Warrenton High School, Warrenton, Virginia: Tri-Hi-Y, 2, 3; Glee Club, 2. Culpeper: Tri-Hi-Y, 4; FHA, 3, 4, 5; FBLA, 4, 5; Pan American Club, 4.

Seniors Declare Class Superlatives







Most Dependable
STUART COLVIN
BARBARA DULIN



Most Versatile
Lawrence Leavell
Ann Griffin

Carter, Catherine Elizabeth: Rappahannock High School, Washington, Virginia: FHA, 1, 2; Glee Club, 1. Culpeper: FBLA, 3, 4, 5; Library Club, 4, 5; FHA, 4, 5.

CHILTON, CHARLES BLACKWELL II: Junior 4-H Club, 1; Junior Dramatic Club, 1; Baseball, 2, 3, 4, 5; 4-H Club, 2, 3; Hi-Y, 3, 4, 5, Treasurer, 4, President, 5; Science Club, 3, 4, 5; Junior Varsity Football, 3; Junior Monogram Club, 3; SCA, 4, 5; Chairman of Monitors' Committee, 4, 5; Monogram Club, 4; Pan American Club, 4, 5; Football, 4, 5.

CLATTERBUCK, BARBARA ANNE: Junior Glee Club, 1; FHA. 2, 3, 4, 5, Treasurer, 2, Vice President, 4, President, 5; Library Club, 2, 3, 4; FBLA, 3, 4, 5, Parliamentarian, 5; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5; SCA, 5; Glee Club, 5.

Coates, David Kelly: Junior Varsity Football, 1; Junior Varsity Basketball, 1, 2; Football, 2, 3, 4, 5, Co-Captain, 5; Monogram Club, 2, 3, 4, Vice President, 4; Track, 3, 4, 5; Baseball, 3, 4; Secretary of Class, 3; Basketball, 3, 4, 5; FBLA, 5; Stamp Club, 3.

Colvin, Stuart Talmage: Vice President of Class, I; Junior Dramatic Club, 2; Science Club, 3, 4, 5, Vice President, 4, President, 5; Colonnade, 3, 4, 5, Chief Photographer, 4, School Life Editor, 5; Hi-Y, 4, 5, Vice President, 5; Pan American Club, 4, 5; Track 4, 5; Monitors' Committee, 5; Pepergram, 5, Staff Artist, 5; SCA, 5.

Combs, James Javan: Junior Dramatic Club, 1, 2, Vice President, 2; Junior Glee Club, 1, 2; Junior Varsity Football, 2, 3: Junior Varsity Basketball, 2, 3: Junior Monogram Club, 3, 4, Treasurer, 3; Football, 4; Pepergram, 4, 5, Sports Editor, 5; Hi-Y, 4; Pan American Club, 4, 5.

COOK, BETTY ESTELLE: FBLA, 4, 5; FHA, 5.

Corbin, Thomas Virgil: Rappahannock High School, Washington, Virginia. Culpeper: Distributors' Club, 5.

CORDER, ROBERT GIBSON: Rappahannock High School, Washington, Virginia: FFA, 2. Culpeper: Distributors' Club, 5, Chairman Financial Committee, 5.

COVELL, ELEANOR AUDREY: Junior Glee Club, 1; Junior Dramatic Club, 1, 2; Olympic Council, 3; Pepergram, 4, 5, Co-Editor, 5; Colonnade, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5, Reporter, 5; Pan American Club, 4, 5, Treasurer, 5; Glee Club, 4; Monitors' Committee, 5; SCA, 5.

Curtis, Virginia Grant: Junior 4-H Club, 1; Junior Glee Club, 1; Junior Dramatic Club, 2; 4-H Club, 2, 3, 4, 5; Colonnade, 3, 4, 5, Assistant Circulation Manager, 5; FHA, 3, 4; Cafeteria Worker, 3, President, 3; Dramatic Club, 4, 5; Library Club, 4; *Pepergram*, 5; Glee Club, 5.

Deal, Marjorie Ann: Junior Glee Club, 1; Distributors' Club, 4. 5.

Dodson, Helen Gertrude: Junior Glee Club, 1; Junior Dramatic Club, 1, 2,; FHA, 2, 3; Art Club, 4; Distributors' Club, 5, Reporter, 5.

Dulin, Barbara Jean: Junior Varsity Basketball, 1; Junior Glee Club, 1; Junior Dramatic Club, 1, 2, Secretary-Treasurer, 2; Junior Varsity Cheerleader, 1; Pepergram, 2, 3, 4, 5; Basketball, 2, 3, 4, 5, Co-Captain, 5: Cheerleader, 2, 3; Olympic Council, 3; Monogram Club, 3, 4, 5, Vice President, 4, 5: Softball, 2, 3, 4, 5; SCA, 4, 5, President, 5; Dramatic Club, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5; Pan American Club, 5; FTA, 4, President, 4.

Dulin, Peggy Ann: Junior Glee Club, 1; Junior Dramatic Club, 1, 2, President, 2; Junior Varsity Basketball, 1; Junior Varsity Cheerleader, 1; Pepergram, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader, 2, 3; Softball, 2, 3, 4, 5; Olympic Council, 3; FTA, 4, Vice President, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5, Vice President, 5; Vice President of Class, 3; Dramatic Club, 4; Pan American Club, 4, 5, Secretary, 5; Monogram Club, 5, President, 5; SCA, 5; Basketball, 2, 3, 4, 5, Co-Captain, 5; President of Class, 5.

EAHEART, MADELINE ELSIE: FHA, 3; FBLA, 4, 5; Library Club, 4, 5.

FEAGANES, ELIZABETH RUTH: Junior 4-H Club, 1; 4-H Club, 2, 3, 4, 5; Junior Glee Club, 1; Glee Club, 2, 3; FBLA, 2, 3, 4, 5; COLONNADE, 3, 4, 5, Circulation Manager, 5; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5; FHA, 4, 5; Pepergram, 5.

Greer, Wilma Irene: Junior Glee Club, 1; 4-H Club, 3, 4; FBLA, 3, 4, 5; Library Club, 5; Dramatic Club, 5; Glee Club, 5.

Griffin, Elizabeth Ann: Colonnade, I, 2, 3, 4, 5, Sports Editor, 3, 4, Editor, 5; *Pepergram*, I, 2, 3, 4; Junior Dramatic Club, I, 2; Junior Glee Club, I; 4-H Club, I; Junior Varsity Basketball, I, 2, 3; Monitors' Committee, I, 2, 3, 4, 5; Glee Club, 2; Cheerleader, 3; SCA, 2, 4, 5; Chairman of Health and Recreation Committee, 4; Basketball, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5, Reporter, 5; Monogram Club, 4, 5; Quill and Scroll, 4, 5.

Harding, Margaret Katherine: Colonnade, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Business Manager, 5, Organization Editor, 4; Junior Glee Club, 1, 2, Song Leader, 2; SCA, 1, 2, 3, 4; Safety Council, 2; Softball, 2, 3, 4; Monitors' Committee, 2, 3, 4, 5; Olympic Council, 3; Dramatic Club, 3; Monogram Club, 3, 4, 5, Treasurer, 5; FBLA, 3, 4, 5, Vice President Madison Region, 5; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5; Junior Dramatic Club, 1, Treasurer, 1; 4-H Club, 1, 2, 3.



Wittiest
JOHN JAMES
SHIRLEY WHITLOCK



Most Athletic
David Coates
Frances Kibler



Most Typical Seniors
JAMES COMBS
PEGGY DULIN

HAUGHT, ROSEMARY: Junior Glee Club, 1, 2; 4-H Club, 1; Junior Dramatic Club, 2; Olympic Council, 3; Library Club, 4, 5; *Pepergram*, 4, 5; FTA, 4; Monitors' Committee, 5.

HAWKINS, CHARLES WILLIAM: Winder High School, Winder, Georgia. Culpeper: Junior Varsity Football, 4; Football, 5: Junior Monogram Club, 4.

HEFLIN, JOHN THOMAS III: Junior Glee Club, 1; Library Club, 3, 4, 5; *Pepergram*, 4, 5; Hi-Y, 5, Chaplain, 5; Art Club, 5.

Hensley, Evans Hairm: 4-H Club, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Reporter, 5: FFA, 2, 3, 4, 5, Vice President, 4, President, 5.

Hensley, Frances Marie: FHA, 2, 3, 4, 5, Parliamentarian, 5; Library Club, 2, 3, 5; Distributors' Club, 4.

HILTON, JOYCE AMELIA: 4-H Club, 1, 2; FBLA, 3, 4, 5, Vice President, 4, President, 5; Softball, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5; FHA, 4, 5; Library Club, 4; SCA, 5.

Hitt, Betty Ann: Clean-Up Committee, 1; Junior Glee Club, 2; Library Club, 2; FHA, 2, 5; Health Committee, 3.

HITT, DOROTHY SUSIE: 4-H Club, 1; Junior Dramatie Club, 1; FBLA, 4, 5.

HOPKINS, JEAN ELIZABETH: Amherst High School, Amherst, Virginia: FHA, 2. Culpeper: FBLA, 4, 5; Colonnade, 4; Library Club, 3.

James, John Lester: FFA, 2, 3, 4, Reporter, 4; Junior Varsity Football, 3; Junior Monogram Club, 3, 4, 5; Safety Council, 4, Vice President, 4; Distributors' Club, 5.

Jenkins, Marshall Irvin: Football, 2, 3, 4, 5; FFA, 2, 3; Junior Varsity Basketball, 3; Monogram Club, 4; Track, 4.

JENKINS, THOMAS EDWARD: FFA, 2, 3; DO Club, 4, 5.

KEYS, IDA PATRICIA: Library Club, 2, 3, 4, Reporter, 3; Distributors' Club, 4, 5.

KIBLER, FRANCES MILDRED: Junior Dramatic Club, 1, 2; Junior Glec Club, 1, 2, Vice President, 2; Junior Varsity Basketball, 1; 4-H Club, 1, President, 1; SCA, 1, 3, 5; Safety Council, 1, Vice President, 1; Band, 2, 3, 4, 5; Science Club, 2; Basketball, 3, 4, 5; Softball, 3, 4, 5, Co-Captain, 5; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5, Treasurer, 5; Dance Band, 4, 5; Dramatic Club, 4, 5; Olympic Council, 4.

Kibler, James Granville: Junior Varsity Football, 1; Junior Monogram Club, 1, 2; Football, 2, 3, 4, 5; Track, 3, 5; Monogram Club, 3, 4; Junior Varsity Basketball, 3.

Kibly, Elizabethi Maxine: Junior Varsity Cheerleader, 1; Junior Varsity Basketball, 1, 2, 3, Co-Captain, 3, Manager, 1; Junior Dramatie Club, 1; Pepergram, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Assistant Editor, 4; President of Class, 1; Cheerleader, 2, 3, 5; Health and Recreation Committee, 2; Choral Music, 2; Olympie Council, 3, Acidle, 3; SCA, 3, 5, Secretary, 5; Basketball, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5; Monogram Club, 4, 5; Quill and Scroll, 4, 5; Colonnade, 4; Monitors' Committee, 5; Glee Club, 5, Vice President, 5; Vice President of Class, 5.

Leavell, Lawrence Winfrey: Junior Glee Club, 2, 3,; FFA, 2, 3, 4, 5; Junior Varsity Football, 2, 3; Football, 4, 5; Glee Club, 4, 5, Librarian, 4.

McDowell, Frances Lou: George Washington High Sehool, Alexandria, Virginia: Music Club, 1, 2; FHA, 3; FTA, 3. Culpeper: FHA, 4, 5, Secretary, 4; FTA, 4, 5; Glee Club, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 5.

Montgomery, Alice Louise: FBLA, $_3$, $_4$, $_5$, Secretary, $_4$; Softball, $_3$; Tri-Hi-Y, $_4$, $_5$.

Mooney, Rose Marie: Madison High School, Madison, Virginia: 1, 2. St. Gertrudes High School, Richmond, Virginia: 2. Culpeper: Junior Glee Club, 2; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5; Pan American Club, 4; FHA, 4, 5, Treasurer, 5; Glee Club, 5.

Myers, Barbara Jean: FHA, 2; Library Club, 2, 3; Distributors' Club, 4, 5, Editor Promotion Manager, 4, Treasurer, 5.

Myers, Roger Vincent: Junior Monogram Club, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, President, 5; Midget Football, 1; Junior Varsity Football, 2, 3; Monitors' Committee, 2, 3, 4, 5; Distributors' Club, 5, Vice President, 5; Football, 5.

Myers, Shelby Jean: FHA, 2, 3, 4, 5, Secretary, 5; FBLA, 3, 4; Library Club, 3, 4, 5, Secretary-Treasurer, 5.

Myers, Sylvia Blanche: 4-H Club, 1; Junior Glee Club, 1, 2; Library Club, 2, 3, 4, 5; FBLA, 2, 3, 4, 5; Softball, 3; Glee Club, 3.

Norris, Betty Lea: *Pepergram*, 1, 3, 4, 5. Advertising and Business Manager, 5; Junior 4-H Club. 1: Junior Glee Club, 1, 2; 4-H Club, 2; Junior Varsity Cheerleader, 2; Cheerleader, 3; FBLA, 3, 4, 5; Dramatic Club. 4, 5, Treasurer, 5; Colonnade, 4; Distributors' Club, 5, President, 5; Monitors' Committee, 5; SCA, 5; Glee Club. 3, 5; Monogram Club, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5, Chaplain, 5.

Pound, Barbara Jeanne: Junior Glee Club, 1, 2: 4-H Club, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; FBLA, 4, 5; FHA, 4, 5.



Best School Spirit
Benjamin Brown
Emily Rogers

Best Looking
ROBERT CORDER
BARBARA SPILMAN

Priest, Peggy Anne: Rappahannock County High School, Washington, Virginia: 4-H Club, 1, 2; FHA, 3. Culpeper: Library Club, 5; FBLA, 5.

PRINTZ, AUDREY RAY: Junior Dramatic Club, 1; Science Club. 2; FBLA, 3. 4. 5, Historian, 5; Treasurer of Class. 3; Library Club, 4. 5, President, 5; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5; SCA, 5; Chairman of Health and Recreation Committee, 5; Pan American Club, 4; Bonds and Stamps Committee, 5.

Pritt, Harrell William: Safety Council. 1, 2: Library Club, 2, 3, 4: FFA. 2, 3; Junior Monogram Club, 3; Track, 3: Monogram Club, 4: Baseball. 4; DO Club, 5, Vice President, 5: Junior Varsity Football, 3: Football, 4.

Pycha, William Wayne: Junior Dramatic Club, 1; 4-H Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA, 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Glee Club, 1, 2; Glee Club, 4; Hi-Y, 5; DO Club, 5.

Reynolds, Carole Jane: Junior Varsity Basketball, 1, 2, 3, Manager, 1, Co-Captain, 3: Junior Dramatic Club 1; Junior Glee Club, 1; Pepergram, 1, 2, 4, News Editor, 4; SCA. 2, 5: Basketball. 4, 5: Art Club. 4, 5, President, 5; Pan American Club, 4, 5; Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Glee Club. 5.

ROGERS, EMILY Lou: Hermitage High School, Richmond, Virginia: Junior Glee Club, 1, 2; Junior Varsity Basketball, 1, 2; Pep Club, 1, 2; Junior Dramatic Club, 1, 2. Culpeper: Junior Glee Club, 3; Junior Varsity Basketball, 3; Softball, 3, 4, 5; Olympic Council, 3, Vice President, 3; Cheerleader, 4, 5, Captain, 5; Pan American Club, 4, 5; Dramatic Club, 4, 5; SCA, 5, Monitors' Committee, 4, 5; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5; Pepergram, 4, 5; Monogram Club, 4, 5.

SETTLE, JEAN ELIZABETH: 4-H Club, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

Settle, Shirley Ann: Rappahannock High School, Washington, Virginia: FHA. 2: Glee Club, 2. Culpeper: FBLA, 3, 4, 5: Safety Council, 4, 5, Reporter. 4: Distributors' Club, 5: Colonnade, 5. Assistant Typist, 5.

Sims, Lenora Pearl: Library Club, 4; Distributors' Club, 5, Secretary, 5.

Sisk, Mary Anna: Junior Dramatic Club, 1, 2; 4-H Club, 1; FHA, 2, 3, 5; FBLA, 3, 4, 5; Softball, 2, 3, 4, 5; Monogram Club, 3, 4, 5.

Speiden, Elizabeth Virginia: Junior 4-H Club, I; Junior Glee Club, I; Junior Dramatic Club, I, 2; 4-H Club, 2, 3, 4, 5, President, 3; FHA, 3, 4, 5, Federation Vice President, 5, Parliamentarian, 4: Cafeteria Worker, 3, 4, 5, President, 5; Dramatic Club, 4, 5; Pepergram, 5.

SPILMAN, BARBARA LEE: Junior Varsity Basketball, 1, 2, Co-Captain, 2; Junior Glee Club, 1, 2; 4-H Club, 1, President, 1; Junior Varsity Cheerleader, 1; Junior Dramatic Club, 2: Cheerleader, 2, 3: Dramatic Club, 3, 4, 5, Secretary, 5: Olympic Council, 3; Basketball, 3, 4; Softball, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5: Glee Club, 4, 5, Secretary-Treasurer, 4, President, 5; Monogram Club, 4, 5, Secretary-Treasurer, 4, Reporter, 5; Monitors' Committee, 5.

STULTZ, SHIRLEY NORMAN: Junior Glee Club, 1; FHA, I, 2, 3, 4; Junior Dramatic Club, 2; Library Club, 2; FBLA, 2, 3, 4, 5. Historian, 4, Second Vice President, 5; Glee Club, 2; Softball Team, 2, 3: Pepergram, 3, 4, 5. Circulation Manager, 4, 5: Dramatic Club, 3, 4, 5, Treasurer, 4. Vice President, 5; Science Club, 3: Junior Varsity Basketball, 3: Tri-Hi-Y, 4, 5, Secretary, 5; Monitors' Committee, 5; Quill and Scroll, 4, 5.

Tinsley, Ruth Jean: Junior Glee Club, 1, 2; FBLA, 2, 3, 4, 5. Reporter, 5; Pepergram, 3, 4, 5; Glee Club, 3, 4.

WAYLAND, LAWRENCE BROWN: Junior Varsity Football, 3; Pan American Club, 4, 5.

Whitlock, Shirley Mae: 4-H Club, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Junior Glee Club, 1: Library Club, 4; Glee Club, 5.

Wilson, Clyde Alvin, Jr.: Junior Monogram, 1, 2; Junior Varsity Football, 1, 2; FFA, 2: Vice President of Class, 2; Monogram Club, 3, 4; Football, 2, 3, 4; DO Club, 5.

Woolfrey, Betty Jean: Remington High School, Remington, Virginia: Softball, 1, 2, 3; SCA, 1, 2, 3, President, 1, Vice President, 2; Basketball, 2, 3; FHA, 2, 3. Culpeper: FBLA, 4, 5; Tri-Hi-Y, 5.

Yancey, Kathleen Barron: Secretary of Class, 1, Treasurer of Class, 4; Pepergram, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Co-Editor, 5; Junior Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, Secretary-Treasurer, 1, President, 2: 4-H Club, 1, 2, 3, Vice President, 2; SCA, 2, 3, 4, 5, Cairman of Bonds and Stamps Committee, 4; Olympic Council, 3, Quaester, 3; Colonade, 4; Glee Club, 4, Co-Accompanist, 4; Pan American Club, 4, 5, President, 5; Monitors' Committee, 4, 5.

YOWELL, JESSE MASON, JR.: Band, I, 2, 3, 4, 5, First Lieutenant, 4. Captain, 5: Colonnade, I, 2, 3, 4, 5, Photographer, 3, School Life Editor, 4, Class Editor, 5; SCA, I, 4, 5; Junior Glee Club, I; Monitors' Committee, 2, 3, 5; Hi-Y, 3, 4, 5, President, 4: Olympic Council, 3; Science Club, 3, 4, 5, Treasurer, 4, Secretary, 3, 5.

Students Choose Capable Leaders

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

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Frances Haught Vice President
FANNIE BUTLER Secretary
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Miss L. Thornhill, J. Korte, L. Guinn, F. Butler, F. Haught

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HERBERT HASH Treasurer
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Juniors Raise Funds



Amos, John Atkins, Ralph Atkins, Susie Aylor, Robert Aylor, William

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Browning, William Burton, Walter Butler, Barbara Butler, Betty Butler, Fannie

Butler, Lillie Butler, William Callahan, Coleen Carpenter, Harry Carreras, Adele

Carroll, Joyce Clatterbuck, Marshall Coffman, Jacquelyn Cook, John Corbin, Lilly

Coughlin, Rachel Crews, Merrill Cropp, Carole Cunningham, William Dodson, George

Sponsor "A Christmas Carol"

Dodson, Robert Dodson, Susie Doyle, Carol Duncan, Edward Estes, Willie

Feaganes, Otis Gaines, Edwin Gibbs, Catherine Gore, Charlotte Gore, Taylor

Gore, Winfrey Green, James Greer, Annie Griffith, Francis Griffith, Marion

Grimsley, Robert Guinn, Linda Guinn, Sue Hall, Susan Harlow, Kathleen

Haught, Frances Hitt, John Hixson, Charles Hclmes, Kathryn Hundley, Betty

Hunt, John Jacobs, James Johnson, Aubrey Johnson, Jimmy Jones, William

King, Barbara King, Barbara King, Victor Kilby, Patricia Korte, Joseph



Work Toward Prom



Arrowood, Margaret Blankenbaker, Lucille Crane, Bernard Not Pictured Dibble, Duane Gibson, Robert Kennedy, Thomas

Tomblin, Helen Utz, Mary White, Roger Lake, Ada Lohr, Betty Lohr, Oliver Lucas, Fulton Martin, Emmett

Martin, Nancy Mills, Harry Mills, Patricia Moore, Joan Painter, Harold

Peters, Mary Peters, Morris Preston, Elizabeth Printz, Rodger Rosenberger, Nancy

Sayre, Barbara Settle, Randclph Shaw, Winifred Smith, Bradford Smith, Robert

Speiden, Ellen Stanley, Thelma Thompson, Mary Tinsley, Roger Troxell, Betty

Tutwiler, Joyce Utz, Billy Weakley, Douglas Weakley, Ellen White, Marie

Willis, Sarah Wilson, Kathryn Wolfrey, Robert Yancey, Francis Yancey, Mary Yowell, Louise

Sophomores Elect Weakley

Arrowood, Rosie Arthur, Gilbert Atkins, Louise Aylor, Bruce Aylor, Julian

Aylor, Randolph Baber, Rosalie Backe, Barbara Baker, Patricia Baldwin, Paul

Barfield, Eva Bayne, Douglas Brown, Phoebe Callahan, Donna Carder, Mary

Carder, Nancy Carroll, Gerald Cave, Naomi Chapman, Carroll Clark, Elizabeth

Clatterbuck, Ann Clatterbuck, Lewis Clybern, Phyllis Coates, Shirley Compton, Mary

Coughlin, Susie Crane, Harry Creel, Clinton Creel, John Cropp, William Curtis, Geraldine

Deal, Richard Dobyns, Kenneth Dodson, Eleanor Dugan, Duane Elkins, Barbara Ellington, Randolph



Lewis's Sophs Top Contest.



Ford, Mozelia Fox, Betty Fox, Herbert Frazier, Alice Frye, David

Geest, James Gorham, Cherry Graver, James Hall, Mary Hamilton, Mary

Harlow, Wesley Hartman. John Haught, Thomas Haverstock, Kyle Haverstock, Martha

Hicks, Jean Ingram, Richard Inskeep, Claude Jacobs, Ellen James, David

Jones. Richard Jenkins. Betty Jenkins, Marian Jenkins. Nancy Jenkins. Viola

Kellison. John Kilby. Jean Leathers, Wright Lester, Daisy Lipscomb. Robert Long, Alden

Martin, Marvin Marvin, Sheldon McInturif, Marilyn Minor. DeLoris Minor, Marvin Myers, George

Merit Trip to Washington

Myers, Robert Nelson, Lewis Newman, Marylee O'Neal, Linda Osborne, Myrtle

Parker, Virginia Payne, Jerry Payne, Susie Portis, Ella Preston, Joe

Pritt, Clarence Pritt, Euva Pruett, John Rawlings, Ann Robson, Richard

Rosson, Laura Singleton, Willie Smith, Wayne Smoot, Margaret Snellings, Paula

Sohns, Helmut Spicer, Thomas Stover, George Stover, Harold Swan, Alexander

Tapp, William Thayer, George Thomas, Barbara Timmons, Gene Tyler, Carcl Utz, Betty

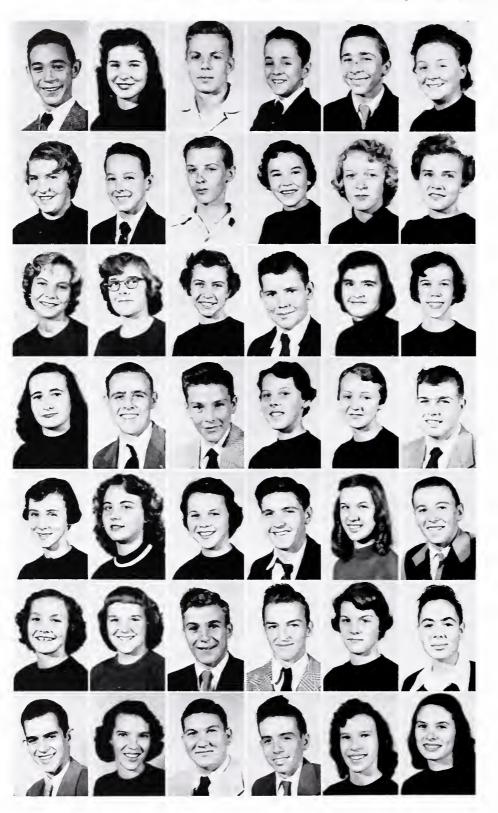
Weakley, James Weaver, Jane White, Mary Willis, Sarah Yancey, Joyce Young, Dennis



Not Pictured

Donald, Gene Giles, Nina Jenkins, Ellis Keyser, Betty Lamphier, James Leake, Shirley Meade, Elizabeth Myers, Marion

Freshmen Strive for High Aims



Anderson, Lawrence Atkins, Mildred Ballinger, Raymond Barfield, Franklin Bennett, Douglas Benton, Barbara

Berry, Betty Blanks, Oakley Blow, Lawrence Botts, Terry Bowler, Louise Brown, Jane

Brown, Nancy Brown, Nancy Burton, Elizabeth Butler, James Carder, Doris Clatterbuck, Mildred

Coates, Martha Colvin, James Colvin, Robert Corbin, Betty Corbin, Elizabeth Crismond, Richard

Cropp. Joyce Cubbage, Barbara Curtis, Diane Dillard, Manuel Dodson, Alice Dodson, Jerry

Duncan, Virginia Dwyer, Elizabeth Dwyer, George Eaheart, William Edwards, Genevieve Eggert, William

Eisenman, David Fincham, Helen Fincham, Joe Fincham, Roy Fincham, Shirley Frazier, Eleanor

Occupy Four Homerooms

Frazier, Joe Frazier, Shirley Gere, Earl Greer, Leis Grimsley, Christine Hansbrough, Mary

Hardy, Jerry Hash, Herbert Haught, Christine Haught, Vincent Hawkins, Joseph Hawkins, Mary

Hawkins, Paula Haynes, Elmer Heflin, Janet Hilton, Geneva Hilton, Genevieve Hitt, Martin

Hitt, Sarah Hoffman, Pauline Hopkins, James Hurlock, Arthur Jenkins, Louise Jenkins, Peggy

Johnson, Brenda Jones, Lucille Kelley, Robert Kidwell, Marie Landis, Alfred Lawrence, Wayne

Lawson, Patsy Lipscomb, Barbara Lucas, Roberta McFarland, Margaret Mac Mahon, Ellen Marshall, Roberta

Martin, Patricia Mills, Hazel Minnis, William Moore, Betty Morris, George Myers, Judith



Begin Course of Choice



Myers, Margaret Myers, Nancy Ney, Peggy Nicholson, Barbara Partlow, Nancy Petty, Walter

Pound, Peggy Printz, Joyce Pritt, Earl Rice, Carolyn Rixey, Barbara Rosenberger, Priscilla

Ross, Barbara Settle, Gloria Shaw, Norman Sisk, Raymond Smith, Joan Spitler, Barbara

Stanley, Barbara Stover, Richard Sudduth, Linda Summers, Roy Tanner, Earl Thayer, Mary

Vernon, Cecilia Walker, Ellen Weakley, Joseph Weakley, Robert White, Barbara White, Constance

White, Marian Whitlock, Eva Willis, John Woolfrey, Doris Wyzisk, Elizabeth Yancey, Phyllis Yowell, Elizabeth

NOT PICTURED

Atkins, Robert Butler, Garnett Jenkins, Margaret Jenkins, Mary Jenkins, Nelson Jenkins, Shirley Keys, Raymond Moyer, Stanley O'Neal, Garry Reagan, Denis

Midgets Invade CHS Halls

Armstrong, Mary Arnold, James Arthur, John Aylor, George Baldwin, Mary Bazzle, James

Benning, Elizabeth Berry, Roy Blantz, Francis Bobbitt, Robert Bradshaw, Beverley Bragg, Joyce

Brown, Barbara Brown, Franklin Brown, John Brown, Thomas Browning, Betty Burke, Joyce

Butler, Shirley Carpenter, Raymond Carson, Theresa Cave, Eugene Clark, Ann Clatterbuck, Frances

Clatterbuck, Louise Clatterbuck, Ronald Coffey, Marlon Cooke, Lucian Corbin, James Corbin, Mary

Corbin, Orea Corbin, Shirley Cubbage, James Curtis, Gloria Deal, Charles Dodson, Grady

Donald, James Driskill, Janet Eaheart, Emily Edwards, Steele Eley, Jerry Fincham, Frances



Change Classes for First Time



Fincham, Howard Fincham, Jean Fincham, Marshall Fincham, Maury Fitzgerald, Henry Frazier, Earl

Frazier, Edna Gallagher, Sue Gallehugh, Daniel Garr, Erma Gore, Bernard Graver, Barbara

Graves, Nancy Grimsley, Mary Gurganus, Patrick Hackley, Doris Hall, Adrienne Haught, Jacob

Hawkins, Hugh Hawkins, Rebecca Heflin, Raymond Hensley, Louise Hensley, Roy Hitt, Charles

Hitt, Harvey Hitt, Martin Huffman, Carolyn Hoffman, Lawrence Hoffman, Lewis Hoffman, Lillie

Holman, Malcolm Howard, Barbara Hudson, John Jacobs, Barbara Jacobs, Frederick James, Thelma

Jenkins, Gene Jenkins, George Jenkins, Jesse Jenkins, Mary Jenkins, William Kellon, William

Follow Nine-Week Study Course

Kemper, Gloria Kemper, Hazel Kennedy, Eleanor Kennedy, Henry Kennedy, John Kinsey, Barbara

Kinzer, Judith Kirkpatrick, Elizabeth Korte, John Kyle. Douglas Lake, Joanne Landis, Barbara

Leake, Reginald McCloud, Dale McCloud, Marie Martin, Janice Martin, Robert Martin, William

Meade, James Miller, Alfred Miller, Burnett Miller, Frederick Mills, Eleanor Mitchell, William

Morris, Mary Myers, Franklin Myers, Rose Nelson, Michael Parker, Marjorie Payne, Henry

Pearman, Darrell Posey, Franklin Printz, Donald Pritt, Lawrence Proctor, Kyle Richards, Joyce

Riley, Catherine Riley, Medley Seale, Carol Settle, Carl Shaw, Jean Shaw, Joyce



Initiate Inter-Class Intramurals



NOT PICTURED

Carter, Virginia Field, Julia Hamilton, Stewart Jenkins, Gertie Jenkins, Roy Utz, Charles Smith, Barbara Smith, Gregory Smith, James Smith, Juanita Smith, Octavia Sohns, Klaus

Soutter, David Soutter, Fred Spicer, Carlton Spitler, Shirley Stanley, Harvey Stein, Linda

Stinnett, Rebecca Tolson, Joan Troxell, Nancy Turner, Zeta Utz, Patsy Weakley, Curtis

Willis, Eugene Woodard, Harry Wyzisk, Henry



Mr. J. Stover presents award to members of Homeroom 26, champions in the eighth grade intramural basketball tournament. Front row: J. Smith, W. Jenkins, H. Wyzisk, Mr.

J. Stover. *Back row:* C. Weakley, R. Bobbitt, C. Hitt, H. Fitzgerald, H. Hawkins.



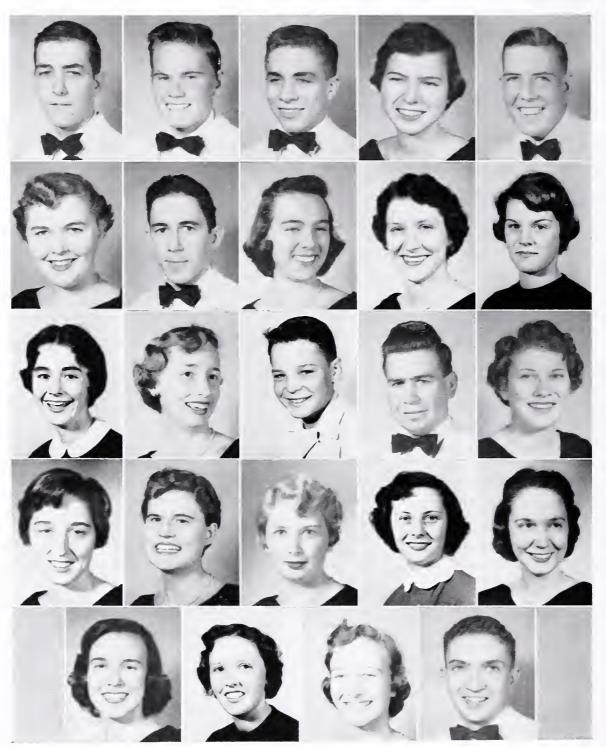
CHAPTER III

"Rating high in our favor are the school clubs. These organizations provide Mary and me an opportunity to learn leadership, responsibility, and the knowledge of parliamentary procedure. We have a special period each day in which the different clubs meet. This is a thirty-minute period just after lunch known to us at CHS as Activity Period. To insure a well-rounded program in which every student may participate, 27 clubs have been formed. Students interested in writing may join the Pepergram Staff, the school paper, or the Colon-NADE Staff, the school yearbook. For students interested in the vocational subjects there are

FFA, FHA, DO Club, Distributors' Club, and FBLA. Clubs for students who are gifted in the arts include the Art Club, the Glee Clubs, Dramatic Clubs, and Band.

"All these different clubs contribute to the growth and development of students at CHS. There is at least one teacher in charge of each club, so therefore students become better acquainted with their teachers and classmates. Mary and I thoroughly enjoy the time and energy given these clubs and have profited from them. While looking through the next chapter note the varied activities of the clubs."

Presidents Guide Club Activities



Top row: B. Brown, R. Brown, J. Burke, B. Carpenter, C. Chilton. Second row: B. Clatterbuck, S. Colvin, A. Covell, B. Dulin, G. Edwards. Third row: C. Gorham, A.

Griffin, J. Haught, E. Hensley, J. Hilton, Fourth row: F. Kibler, B. Norris, A. Printz, E. Pritt, C. Reynolds. Fifth row: B. Spilman, C. Vernon, K. Yancey, J. Yowell.

Clubs Follow Activity Schedule



Three businessmen, Mr. G. Beard, Mr. M. Hoffman, Mr. W. Potter, top left, compete in a spelling match with three FBLA members, B. Butler, F. Butler, M. Harding, J. Hilton, seated between the two groups, moderated the contest. R. Corder and F. Barfield, top right, perform in a skit, one of the humorous scenes in their DE assembly program, December 10. Tri-Hi-Y members E. Feaganes

and F. Haught, bottom left, serve refreshments to E. Duncan and P. Dulin at the Christmas dance, December 17. Mr. H. Cassell, bottom right, speaker for the FHA-FFA banquet, enjoys the bountiful meal planned under the direction of R. Lipscomb and B. Clatterbuck. Other guests include Mrs. D. Clatterbuck and Mrs. J. Combs.

The clubs at CHS held all of their regular meetings during Activity Period, which was from 1:05 to 1:35 each day. An Activity Schedule was prepared, which gave each club a certain day during the month for their meeting. All of the major organizations had at least one starred meeting a month from

which no members were excused if they were at school.

Many of the twenty-four organizations gave dances, parties, or banquets during the year. The cafeteria was the favorite place for these functions as it was easy to decorate and convenient to the kitchen.



Front row: S. Edwards, A. Griffin, M. Haverstock, M. White, A. Covell, E. Rogers, B. Norris, P. Dulin, F. Butler, F. Kibler, B. Howard. Second row: Miss E. Sanford, Miss V. Lewis, B. Carpenter, A. Rawlings, C. Gorham, V. Parker, P. Mills, M. Hansbrough, C. Reynolds, K. Yancey. Third row: S. Gallagher, F. Haught, B. Spilman, J.

Fincham, B. Clatterbuck, C. Carter, C. Vernon, B. Ross, Miss S. Sherman. Fourth row: J. Burke, J. Yowell, S. Colvin, E. Hensley, M. Jenkins, Mrs. H. McCall, J. Hilton, M. Thompson, J. Weakley. Missing from picture: L. Baumgardner, B. Brown, E. Kirkpatrick, R. Myers, P. Rosenberger, E. Pritt.

SCA Entertains District Assembly

Barbara Dulin	resident
Maxine KilbyS	ecretary
Joseph Korte	Adviser

Led by Barbara Dulin, the Culpeper SCA entertained the Fredericksburg District SCA on November 15 for its annual meeting. Using as its theme, "Your Reputation—Good or Bad", the group discussed the topic as it related to the school, community, and vocation. Representatives from King George, Spotsylvania, Stafford, Fredericksburg, Caroline, and Culpeper were present at the meeting.

As host, Culpeper was responsible for making preparations for the meeting. Students in charge of the various committees were: Hospitality, Maxine Kilby; Registration, Joe Korte; Lunch, Mary Lee Thompson; Ushers, Rodger Printz; Traffic, Charles Chilton. Seven delegates attended the meeting from this school. However, all council members were excused from several classes during the morning to hear the keynote speech.

The SCA, with the Alumni Association, cosponsored the Homecoming celebration, which was held November 6-7. On Friday afternoon, November 6, a gala parade was held with all of the clubs and some homerooms entering floats. Judges awarded first place to the FBLA and second place to Homeroom 26. The Pepergram and 4-H Club floats won honorable mention.

That night an exciting football game between Culpeper and Manchester was played. During halftime, Susan Hall was crowned Homecoming Queen by Mr. Everett Kerrick,

President of the Alumni Association. Maxine Kilby, Barbara Spilman, Hazel Mills, Peggy Dulin, and Frances Kibler were attendants to the queen. Climaxing the festivities was an alumni meeting on Saturday, November 7, at which time the Class of 1919 was honored. Miss Mary George Bolen, librarian at CHS and a member of the Class of 1919, gave the class history at this gathering.

Officers for 1954-55 were installed in a ceremony on September 25. Mr. Giles Miller, speaker for the occasion, based his remarks on three words—listen, think, and act. He stressed the importance of being sure of what one hears, thinking for oneself, and then acting.

A discussion of "Your Reputation—Good or Bad" was presented at a regular school assembly with Barbara Dulin, Randolph Aylor, Barbara Jean King, Fannie Haught, Rodger Printz, and Beverley Carpenter serving on the panel. Miss Virginia Lewis, sponsor of the SCA, acted as moderator. Following comments by the panelists, the discussion was opened to the entire student body. Several students asked questions at that time or gave their opinions on various matters.

Numerous warning notices were presented to "delinquent" parents who were caught breaking school rules on Parents' Night, November II. This event is sponsored annually by the SCA in order to give the parents a better under-

standing of their child's classes and activities at school.

The students themselves took over the government of the town for one day early in the spring. The members of the student body chose a youth mayor and eight councilmen, who in turn, appointed the other officers. On this day one youth worked with each adult town official in order to learn more about their respective duties. The youth councilmen were put on committees corresponding to actual committees of the town council. The youth council also met with the adult town council and offered recommendations for new ordinances based on various conditions they had observed during their term of office. They also voted on all bills brought before the Council that night, although their vote did not count. For the first time, the SCA placed flowers in all the rooms on the first day of school. The bulletin board was also decorated by this organization at the beginning of the school year.

Joseph Korte, Kathleen Yancey, and Maxine Kilby attended the Miller and Rhoads and New York Herald Tribune Youth Forum in Richmond on February 12 as delegates from this school. The purpose of this forum was to discuss international youth problems with foreign students.

During the 1954 summer, "The Guide," the school handbook, with Beverley Carpenter and Maxine Kilby as co-editors, was revised and a copy was presented to each student at the beginning of school. This book contains the school rules and regulations, curriculum, activities, and traditions.

CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES

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Borst's Colonnade Annexes State Award

Ann Griffin		Editor-in-Chief
Margaret Harding		Business Manager
Miss Mary George Bo	LEN	
Mrs. William Houck	}	Assistant Admisses
Mr. Woodrow Favre		Assisiant Auvisers

The 1955 Colonnade staff, headed by Ann Griffin, editor-in-chief, began work on the yearbook early in the school year. The goal of the staff was to have their book equal the prize-winning Colonnades of the past. The '53 Colonnade, edited by Page Borst, won second place at the Southern Interscholastic Press Association meeting, losing the first-place trophy to Front Royal by twenty-five points. However, the book won a first-place rating. The same Colonnade won the Virginia High School Literary and Athletic Award for that year. The staff was determined to live up to the good reputation earned by the yearbooks of previous years.

The theme and color of the book was known only to the editor and adviser until Class Day, when the books were distributed to the students. The lovely book proved that Ann's time and effort had been well spent.

Assisting Ann in many ways was Margaret Harding, business manager. She was kept busy setting up the budget and keeping a record of all expenditures and income. On top of her other duties, Margaret also served

as the general head of the advertising and circulation of the yearbook.

Jesse Yowell, class editor, was responsible for seeing that all students had their picture taken. Collecting senior information was another of his jobs. Beverley Carpenter had to compile information about each organization's activities for her section. Accompanied by a staff photographer, Patricia Kilby was seen at all of the sports events taking notes and seeing that pictures of all important plays were taken.

Stuart Colvin was busy gathering information and securing pictures of school events. Organizing and alphabetizing the index was

the responsibility of Joan Moore.

The advertising staff, headed by Alex Swan, sold twenty pages of ads for the '55 yearbook. This group spent one school day in town getting ads and also worked during much of their spare time. Elizabeth Feaganes and her circulation staff began selling subscriptions in September. Through their efforts, 565 books were sold. Under the leadership of Mary Peters and supervised by Mrs. W. A. Houck,

the typists gave unlimited help to the year-book staff. Their work was essential to the publication of the Colonnade as all of the

articles had to be typed several times.

Delegates from the COLONNADE staff once again journeyed to Lexington to SIPA, April 29-30. At the convention, the 1954 yearbook was judged and comments and suggestions were made to the staff for its improvement. Miss Mary George Bolen, Ann Griffin, Joan Moore, Alexander Swan, and Kenneth Dobyns

represented the staff.

The annual Colonnade banquet was held on May 26 in the school cafeteria. At that time, the staff members received their books before the general circulation the next day. The person to whom the yearbook was dedicated was announced at the banquet. Repeating an annual custom of having as guests the president and adviser of one of the school organizations, the Dramatic Clubs' sponsors and presidents were invited.

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Pepergram Initiates April Fool's Issue

KATHLEEN YANCEY	C - T 1:
Audrey Covell	
Betty Norris	Business Manager
Shirley Stultz	
Miss Gertrude Lewis	

On April I the *Pepergram* staff delighted the student body with the inauguration of its first April Fool's issue. In this issue the feature and sports pages consisted of satirical and exagerated "April Fool" articles. Parts of the articles were printed upside down and sideways; while a few sections remained in the correct style. The main news story invisioned steak for lunch, a lounge for the students and free refreshments served on the luxurious school buses. Other articles described weird fashions and the Olympic Council's trip to the Colosseum in Rome.

Other items appearing for the first time in the 1954-55 Pepergram were "Alumni Corner," "Spotlight," a column recognizing outstanding students, and cartoons. "Pepper Patter" and "Etta Kett" were revived and again appeared

in the paper.

For the first time, the staff had a speaker for one of its regular meetings. Mr. Walter Potter. editor of the Culpeper Star-Exponent, talked to the group at their March meeting on "Job Opportunities in Newspaper Work." He told of the various jobs available in journalistic work and of the increasing interest in the advertising field. "Anyone interested in entering newspaper work should start on a small

paper," Mr. Potter stated. He explained that a person would learn more about the newspaper from all angles by beginning at the bottom and working his way up.

Miss Gertrude Lewis, adviser, together with four staff members, Betty Hundley, Betty Troxell, Cherry Gorham, and Audiey Covell, attended the Southern Interscholastic Press Association meeting on April 29, 30. This meeting is held annually at Washington and

Lee University in Lexington, Va. At this meeting, the *Pepergram* is judged in competition with papers from schools in all the southern states and the District of Columbia.

For its bulletin board display, the *Pepergram* exhibited many of the columns and news articles that had been previously published in the paper. Honorable mention was awarded to the staff's float in the Homecoming Parade.

During the spring the co-editors attended a meeting of the Culpeper Rotary Club. They explained to the group the work that the staff had done in order to publish the paper.

By exchanging papers with 34 other schools, the *Pepergram* Staff secured ideas for articles and also learned about activities that are being carried on at other schools.

The *Pepergram*, a tri-weekly newspaper, was published twelve times during the school year 1954-55. This included the senior issue which was the last one published for the year. This edition, which was devoted almost entirely to the senior class, contained the class prophecy and last will and testament. Individual pictures of the class members consumed part of the extra page, which was added for this special issue. The class officers and other important seniors were featured in this last paper.

The budget for the year was \$1,200, which was met by money obtained from subscriptions and advertisements. By selling 1,124 inches of advertisements, the advertising staff set a new record for the largest number of inches of ads ever sold.

The total circulation for the year was 678. This amount was divided as follows: exchange papers, 34; activity ticket, 500; schools, 6; advertisers, 55; individual copies sold, 20; and other subscriptions, 63.

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Miss Gertrude Lewis	



Seated: K. Yancey, Miss G. Lewis, A. Covell. Standing: B. Norris, S. Stultz.



Front row: Mrs. G. Witt, B. Utz, B. Spilman, B. Norris, S. Stultz, J. Burke, Miss L. Botts. Second row: W. Smith, E. Speiden, S. Guinn, M. Newman, E. Portis, K. Brown, D. Callahan, M. Haverstock, M. White, E. Clark. Third row: F. Barfield, J. Hilton, R. Arrowood, M. Compton, M.

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Dramatists Present Three-Act Comedy

Joel Burke	President
SHIRLEY STULTZ	President
Barbara Spilman	Secretary
Betty Norris	Treasurer
Mrs. Gordon Witt	. Adviser

A 3-act play entitled, "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" was presented by the dramatists on November 19. Based on a novel by the same name, the play pictured the trials and tribulations of two young girls on an ocean voyage to France. The cast included Alexander Swan, Steward; Betty Norris, Mrs. Skinner; Ann Rawlings, Cornelia Skinner; Herbert Fox, Mr. Skinner: Kathryn Brown, Emily Kimbrough: William Butler. Purser: Sue Guinn. Stewardess: Joel Burke, Dick Winters; Kenneth Dobyns, Admiral; Mary Thom White, Harriet St. John; Cherry Gorham, Winifred Blaugh; Lewis Nelson, Leo McEvoy; Elizabeth Speiden, Inspector: Donna Callahan, Theresa: Virginia Curtis, Madame Elise: Francis Griffith, Monsieur De La Crax; and Martha Haverstock, window cleaner.

Continuing an established practice, the Dramatic Club again sponsored the sock hop. At this dance all students were dungarees and

plaid shirts and danced in their stocking feet.

The Thespians presented a one-act play, "Sunday's Child," in the area play festival held at Orange High School on February 26. The cast of characters included the following: Herbert Fox. preacher: Paul Baldwin, Windy; Sheldon Marvin, Zack; Mary Peters, Betsy; Cherry Gorham, Mrs. Wells; and Martha Haverstock, Debbie. Dramatists from Culpeper competed with groups from Albemarle, James Monroe, King George, Louisa, Orange, Rappahannock, Spotsylvania, and Stafford high schools in the contest. Plays that received a distinguished rating were eligible to compete in the State Play Festival. The play was presented as an assembly program on March 9.

Using as its theme "The Tragedy of Manchester," the club presented a float in the Homecoming Parade depicting scenes from

"Macbeth" and "Julius Caesar."



Front row: Miss M. Jones, J. Willis, E. Corbin, G. Edwards, B. Ross. Second row: M. Kidwell, R. Lucas, M. Grimsley, B. Rixey, T. Botts, B. Lipscomb, N. Myers. Third row: R. Clatterbuck, P. Hawkins, A. Dodson, E. Walker, J. Tolson,

F. Clatterbuck, J. Heflin, S. Spitler. Fourth row: C. Settle, L. Hoffman, M. Nelson, A. Clark, R. Stinnett, E. Kirkpatrick, E. Mac Mahon, C. Haught. Fifth row: L. Hoffman, J. Arnold, L. Stein, B. Miller, J. Frazier, W. Eggert, W. Petty.

"Love In Bloom" Amuses Students

Genevieve Edwards	President
Barbara Ross	
Elizabeth Corbin	. Secretary
John Willis	Treasurer
MISS MILDRED IONES	Adviser

Entertaining the school at an assembly program on February 4, the Junior Dramatic Club presented "Love in Bloom". The heroine, who is a pretty high school girl, decides that she is in love with her English teacher, Professor Warren. Unfortunately her mother is also in love with the professor, and they have become engaged. In spite of persuasion to the contrary by Aunt Judith, Mrs. Hamilton, a charming widow, decides to break her engagement rather than break her daughter's heart. Through a clever bit of acting Professor Warren manages to change Cynthia's mind, and she leaves happy with her high school pals.

The cast of characters was as follows: Aunt Judith, Barbara Rixey; Mollie, the maid, Barbara Lipscomb; Cynthia, Genevieve Edwards; Joe Gunter, Ronald Clatterbuck; Hal Merrit, Michael Nelson; Belle Comers, Terry Botts; Mrs. Hamilton, Ann Clark; and Professor Warren, John Willis. Barbara Rixey took the part of Aunt Judith on two hours notice, after the person who originally had the role lost her voice.

Working on the play as a club project provided the cast with valuable acting experience as well as giving to other members of the club experience in learning the technique of make-

up and securing props.

The Junior Dramatic Club is composed of students from the eighth and ninth grades who are interested in dramatics as a hobby. Learning the fundamentals of play presentation and acting is the aim of the members of the club. By participating in the Junior Club's activities, students gained practical experience which will prove of value when they become members of the Senior Dramatic Club.



First row: M. Jenkins, C. Grimsley, J. Kinzer, G. Edwards, E. Whitlock, F. Fincham, A. Hall, C. Vernon, P. Hawkins, R. Stinnett, J. Burke, J. Martin, S. Spitler, M. Armstrong. Second row: S. Gallagher, N. Troxell, J. Driskill, B. Smith, M. McFarland, E. Burton, L. Stein, B. White, D. Carter, R. Hawkins, N. Myers, J. Heflin, B. Kinsey, M. Grimsley. Third row: M. Nelson, J. Smith, E. Kennedy, J. Smith, B. Jacobs, B. Browning, C. Rice, P. Yancey, D. Wolfrey, L. Clatterbuck, N. Partlow, M. Kidwell, C. Haught, J. Finch-

am. Fourth row: R. Clatterbuck, J. Tolson, F. Clatterbuck, B. Graver, R. Lucas, S. Butler, G. Hilton, S. Corbin, J. Shaw, G. Hilton, B. Howard, M. Hawkins, C. Riley, Z. Turner, R. Ballinger. Fifth row: M. McCloud, E. Benning, B. Landis, B. Spitler, B. Berry, P. Utz, R. Myers, L. Hoffman, T. Carson, C. Hoffman, F. Jacobs, J. Shaw, F. Blantz, E. Mac Mahon. Sixth row: Mr. W. Thomas, H. Fitzgerald, J. Fincham, H. Hudson, G. Smith.

Junior Choristers Acquire New Adviser

CECELIA VERNON
Paula Hawkins
Rebecca Stinnett
Mr. Walter Thomas

Under the leadership of Mr. Walter Thomas the Junior Glee Club met every Thursday in the cafeteria. The 65-member organization was the only music organization not meeting in a regular class session. Members of the club were divided into three voice groups: soprano, alto, and bass. As junior choristers they worked on developing their voices and acquiring better knowledge of choral singing for future work in the Glee Club.

Technical pointers were stressed in the practice sessions. The group worked on the shading of tones, enunciation, good vowels, and clarity. Important facts such as learning to follow the technical points of the director and getting the meaning of music from the word content were also stressed. Since teamwork and co-operation are essential in a choral group, the Junior Glee Club tried to develop these in their relationship in the club.

During the year the members worked on such numbers as "My Task," "Donna Nobis Pacem," and several Christmas carols. Demonstrating their skill in piano playing, Judith Kinzer and Elizabeth Burton served as accompanists, while the group consisting of eighth and ninth graders listened attentively. The girls alternated as pianists, so that both could gain experience in accompanying a choral group.

For the District Choral Music Festival held in Falls Church, March 12, the Junior Glee Club sent Ellen Mac Mahon to sing "Let My Song Fill Your Heart" and Judith Myers to sing "Awake." Both of these girls are voice students under Mrs. Marjorie H. Warren, County Supervisor of Music and local piano and voice teacher.

The group did not give a public performance as the director did not feel that they had had enough training. As most of the time was devoted to teaching fundamentals, the group did not have sufficient time to work on numbers suitable for a concert.

The Junior Glee Club served as a training class for the senior club. By emphasizing the fundamentals of singing, the director hoped to better prepare the group for advanced work in the senior organization.

Senior Chorus Presents First Pageant

The Glee Club presented its first Christmas pageant on Sunday, December 19. An informal concert, presented by the Glee Club, preceded the pageant. Selections at the performance included "Madam Jeanette," "One God," "Winter Wonderland," "White Christmas," and "Frosty the Snowman." That part of the pageant was concluded with a choral version of the 23rd Psalm, "The Lord Is My Shepherd."

Accompanied by Ann Rawlings, Donna Callahan sang "I Wonder as I Wander." Linda O'Neal sang "There's a Song in the Air," and a girls quartet consisting of Maxine Kilby, Kathleen Harlow, Patricia Kilby, and Beverley Carpenter sang "Silver Bells." Emily Lou Rogers inspired the audience with her lovely rendition of "Little Baby Jesus."

Background music for the pageant, which was sung by the Glee Club, consisted of most of the well-known Christmas carols. Narrated by Maxine Kilby, the nativity story "Darius, The Hunchback Boy," was directed by Mrs. Franklin Rosson and acted in pantomime by members of her eighth grade homeroom.

The Glee Club performed at the Alumni

Association meeting, November 6, during the Homecoming festivities. The Choristers also entertained at the District SCA meeting, which was held at Culpeper High School, November 15.

The Glee Club presented an interesting and entertaining assembly program on January 6. The highlight of the program was a novelty number, "I Get So Lonely," sung by all the boys in the club.

For the second year, the choristers performed at the annual Farmers' Co-Operative Association meeting in January. "My Task" and "Man With A Banjo" were among the selections rendered at that time. Several selections were sung by the Glee Club at the Fredericksburg District PTA meeting, which was in Culpeper March 23.

The 57-member Glee Club journeyed to Falls Church on March 12 to participate in the District Choral Music Festival. Accompanied by Sarah Willis, the Club was judged on its two selections, "Begin The Beguine" and "Madame Jeanette." Donna Callahan sang in the individual competition.

BARBARA SPILMAN	. President
MAXINE KILBY	? President
EMILY ROGERS	-Treasurer
Patricia Kilby	. Librarian
Mr. Walter Thomas	Adviser



Front row: D. Callahan, K. Brown, E. Rogers, B. Spilman, M. Kilby, P. Kilby, L. Leavell, Mr. W. Thomas, R. Mooney, K. Harlow. Second row: C. Callahan, D. Minor, C. Chapman, B. Norris, K. Wilson, J. Hopkins, M. Osborne, A. Rawlings, M. Haverstock, M. White. Third row: C. Cropp, L. Guinn, M. Carder, B. Clatterbuck, S. Whitlock, B. Carpenter, T. Stanley, C. Reynolds, J. Myers, N.

Brown, E. Feaganes. Fourth row: L. Butler, A. Frazier, I. Greer, S. Willis, C. Gorham, B. Rixey, E. Walker, P. Rosenberger, J. Bragg, M. Atkins, L. O'Neal, V. Curtis. Fifthrow: S. Myers, W. Smith, J. Payne, P. Carder, M. Crews, W. Jones, C. Hixon, C. Creel, A. Carrell, H. Crane, H. Painter, M. Thompson. Missing from picture: B. Stanley, M. Yancey.



First row: S. Butler, F. Fincham, M. Grimsley, T. Carson, B. Howard, J. Martin, E. Feaganes. Second row: E. Walker, J. Hilton, C. Carter, B. Pound, A. Lake, A. Frazier, J. Carroll, B. Cook, F. Clatterbuck. Third row: A. Clatterbuck, E. Carroll, E. Jacobs, K. Wilson, T. Botts, M. Osborne, M. Jenkins, B. Thomas. Fourth row:

J. Tolson, J. Fincham, M. Sisk, M. Carder, D. Minor, R. Myers, B. Lipscomb, L. Hoffman, L. O'Neal. Missing from picture: M. Armstrong, M. Baldwin, E. Benning. P. Clybern, M. Coffey, S. Corbin, G. Curtis, M. Griffith, B. Jacobs, M. Jenkins, J. Kilby, M. Morris, S. Settle. L. Sims, J. Smith, B. Speiden, T. Stanley.

FHA Holds Annual Banquet

Barbara Clatterbuck.	. President
Ellen Speiden	
Shelby Myers	Secretary
Rose Mooney	
Frances McDowell	Reporter
Miss Katherine Habel.	Adviser

Highlighting the 1954-55 FHA year was the annual FHA-FFA banquet, given on February 2, in the school cafeteria. The Future Homemakers combined their efforts with the FFA in giving this banquet to honor their parents. The entire meal was prepared by the FHA. Catherine Carter directed the eighth grade girls in serving the banquet. Following a review of the year's accomplishments by Ellen Speiden, Barbara Clatterbuck presented twenty-eight members with their pins, guards, certificates, and seals. Mr. Hugh Cassell, superintendent of Augusta County Schools, was the speaker for the occasion. Using as his theme the words of Norman Vincent Peale, Mr. Cassell told the students to, "Think peacefully, think positively, and think joyfully."

The club members feel that they gained valuable experience by giving many teas and parties. The first of these was a series of

parties given for the eighth-grade girls to acquaint them with the club.

October featured the annual tea for the faculty and club presidents. Over punch and cookies the guests mingled, and the new teachers and students became friends.

Punch and cookies also were on the scene at the tea for the Career Day guests in February. Also during February, the club was hostess to Mrs. Rose Loving, the head of the State Department of Home Economics and Mr. Frank Cale, head of the Vocation Department of Virginia. Luncheon was served to these guests.

The FHA took an active part in schoolsponsored activities, including a float in the Homecoming parade. The club officers rode on the float in their newly completed white uniforms, and carried red roses, displaying the theme, "Culpeper Will Bloom Tonight As It Did In 1919." Ada Lake, representing the Homemakers in the Homecoming Queen contest, was in the final ten contestants.

FHA week was celebrated during the second week of November. A bulletin board and school assembly were included in the events of this week. The assembly on Friday, the climax of the week, featured the official FHA emblem service. This service explained the goals and purposes of the club. Barbara Clatterbuck announced that the club would plant a red rose bush, the FHA flower, on the campus in the spring.

Christmas brought a busy time to this organization. The Hobby Lobby Shop opened its doors to Christmas shoppers in the Homemaking Department. This shop offered everything from aprons to dolls in the way of handmade gifts. Ellen Speiden and Catherine Carter were in charge of this shop. The needy were not forgotten, for a large basket was filled with gifts, food, and clothes.

One of the goals of the Future Homemakers was to compare their work with the work of others in order to improve and get new ideas, and work on their motto, "Toward New Horizons." For this purpose, each girl was asked to make an entry in the Culpeper Farm Show in September. Also the club attended the Atlantic Rural Exposition. The girls looked at the exhibits with the question of what they could enter next year.

Exchange of ideas was also one of the important purposes of Spring Rally of the Federation of Culpeper. Madison, and Orange, CMO Trio, which was held at Madison High

School March 30. The theme of the rally was recreation and much time was spent in training the girls to lead recreational activities.

The FHA "Girl of the Week" was chosen from this chapter as an outstanding member from the Northern Virginia District to be interviewed on television and radio.

Spring fashions were on parade at the FHA fashion show. Each girl modeled an outfit she had made. Officers for the coming year were elected and installed in May.

In this club, the girls work for degrees of achievement. Many girls received these awards, including the Junior Homemakers. Chapter, and State Homemakers degrees. In working for these degrees the girls kept constantly before them the FHA creed:

"We are the Future Homemakers of America, We face the future with warm courage, and high hopes.

For we have the clear consciousness of seeking

Old and precious values.

For we are the builders of homes,

Homes for America's future:

Homes where living will be the expression of everything

That is good and fair;

Homes where truth and love and security and faith

Will be realities, not dreams.

We are the Future Homemakers of America, We face the future with warm courage and high hopes."



Miss K. Habel, S. Myers, E. Speiden, B. Clatterbuck, F. Hensley, R. Mooney, F. McDowell



Front row: M. White. A. Greer. S. Settle, J. Tinsley, K. Wilson, S. Stultz, J. Hilton, B. Brown, B. Clatterbuck, J. Amos, A. Printz, M. Harding, K. Brown, Second row: W. Brown, E. Weakley, J. Backe, M. Griffith, J. Hopkins, B. Pound, J. Woolfrey, B. Norris, A. Montgomery, T. Stanley, D. Hitt, M. Osborne, Miss M. Massey, Third row: P. Brown, J. Yancey, F. Butler, B. King, K. Holmes, J. Beahm, P. Priest, I. Greer, G. Baldwin, E. Feaganes.

N. Cave, Mrs. W. Houck. Fourth row: W. Estes, E. Preston, M. Eaheart, C. Carter, S. Atkins, J. Ballinger, A. Carreras, M. Sisk, J. Carroll, B. Cook, S. Myers. Fifth row: M. Smoot, C. Gibbs, P. Kilby, F. Brault, Mrs. H. McCall, D. Coates, F. Yancey, C. Bache, W. Gore, T. Gore, M. Thompson, M. Jenkins. Missing from picture: P. Baker, E. Carroll, S. Coughlin, K. Harlow, N. Jenkins, P. Mills.

FBLA Takes Part In National Survey

Joyce Hilton	
BENJAMIN BROWN	Vice President
SHIRLEY STULTZ	Second Vice President
Jane Amos	Secretary
KATHRYN WILSON	Treasurer
Mrs. William Houck	
Mrs. Howard McCall	
Miss Margaret Massey	

"Do you prefer that your office workers wear hose? Do you object to sport shirts for office wear? How much does personal appearance affect your decision in hiring and promoting employees?" FBLA members found the answers to these and many other questions when they made a survey of the likes and dislikes of Culpeper employers. A similar survey was conducted by all FBLA Chapters in Virginia.

Service, education, and progress are aims of FBLA. With these in mind, "Better FBLA Chapters Build Better Schools. Better Schools Build a Better World" was chosen the year's theme. Each activity was planned to strengthen FBLA, school, and community.

Shirley Stultz and Audrey Printz prepared bulletin board displays early in the year to arouse interest of new students. Benjamin Brown. Barbara Clatterbuck, and Joyce Hilton led the recreation at a social for new members October 20.

The Culpeper Chapter, in order to promote

FBLA in other schools, was host to business students and teachers from Orange, Madison, and Remington.

Activities crowded November and December—the Homecoming parade in which the FBLA float won first-place trophy, spelling contest with businessmen in which the students emerged victorious, speeches by Mr. W. Favre, Mrs. J. Garr, and Audrey, and the making and the sale of work-sock monkeys, washcloth dogs, button and rickrack earrings, and yarn dogs.

January, February, and March brought local and regional contests. Margaret Harding, Madison Region vice president, entered public speaking; Fannie Butler, spelling; Benjamin and Margaret were Mr. and Miss FBLA Executive; Betty Norris. Audrey, and Jane Weaver prepared the bulletin board.

Culpeper FBLA'ers, with 65 other chapters, enjoyed the State Convention in Richmond April 22 and 23 and learned state-wide results of the personal appearance survey.

Safety Council Repeats Annual Trip

Climaxing its activities for the year, the Safety Council journeyed to Washington, D. C., to take part in the Safety Council Parade. The trip marked the third year that the council had participated in the parade, which is sponsored by the American Automobile Association every spring. Each year hundreds of school patrolmen from Washington and adjoining areas march in this colorful parade down Pennsylvania Avenue.

Trying to make CHS a safer place kept the patrolmen busy at all times. These students had the responsibility of seeing that no traffic went by while the pupils crossed the roads, were in charge of keeping order on the buses, and tried to uphold safety laws. Not only did they try to set a good example by obeying safety rules, but they encouraged other

students to do the same.

In the late spring the club attended a major league baseball game in Washington. The patrolmen looked forward to this occasion

with eagerness throughout the year.

Safety posters were put on all buses to remind the students of the necessity of practicing safety at all times. As safety at school is also essential, the Council made posters on safety and placed them on the stairway landings at school.

The Safety Council was in charge of patroling the route for the Homecoming Parade. This service made it safer for all students

participating in the celebration.

Under the supervision of their adviser, Mr. Bobby Walker, the Council met the second Tuesday in each month. At these meetings the members were brought up-to-date on new safety rules and regulations.

In order to earn money for the club, the members sold candy and cookies in the cafeteria. The Safety Council ended the year by holding a dance in May for the members and their guests.



Front row: Mr. B. Walker, R. Arrowood, E. Pritt, W. Brown. Second row: E. Walker, S. Frazier, R. Berry, S. Settle, S. Gallagher, T. Botts. Third row: L. Hoffman, D. Gallehugh, E. Haynes, J. Hawkins, J. Hitt, J. Graver, W. Eaheart. Fourth row: D. Bennett, H. Woodard, L.

Clatterbuck, B. Aylor, J. Colvin, H. Stover, C. Bawkey Fifth row: R. Berry, F. Frazier, D. Eisenman, W. Gote, H. Hawkins, J. Pruett. Missing from picture: J. Creel, J. Eley, R. Kelley, B. Jenkins, M. Arrowood, B. Johnson.



Front row: W. Browning, B. Smith, R. Bayne, J. Yowell, S. Colvin. Second row: Miss V. Lewis, M. Newman, H.

Fox, L. Nelson, Mrs. H. Culpepper, Third row: J. Pruett, M. Crews, W. Jones, C. Chilton, R. Aylor.

Scientists Explore Varied Fields

STUART COLVIN	President
Marylee Newman	
Jesse Yowell	. Secretary
RICHARD BAYNE	. Treasurer
Bradford Smith	Reporter
William Browning	. Librarian
Miss Virginia Lewis	Adviser

Members of the Science Club were divided into different committees according to their individual interests. Committees were set up to study photography, electronics, wildlife, mineralogy, and meteorology. At each of the club's regular meetings, held on the second Wednesday of each month, one committee was in charge of the program.

At the first meeting of the year the physics class demonstrated the power of air pressure by the use of the Magdeburg hemispheres. The Wildlife Committee showed the group how to use a trajectory chart. An open discussion on hunting and fishing methods used, rules, and different kinds of game and fish was held at that time.

In November the Electronics Committee took the club to the radio station. The engineer explained the teletype, transmitter, conalrad, and other electrical equipment to the group. The mineralogy and meteorology committees

gave talks and demonstrations on rocks and minerals.

A demonstration of how the chemicals in film reacted in contact with the developer and hypo was presented by the Photography Committee. During the meeting the club members enjoyed the discussion that was held on three dimensional movies. The filming and projecting of the movies was explained and the different phases of the medium were discussed.

The group decided not to have a Science Club Fair during the year but to hold it the next year. The fair would be much larger than the last one and the seniors would be eligible to bring their projects to be exhibited. In place of the fair, the members devoted their time to intense emphasis on individual projects relating to their respective interests.

Members of the Science Club include students in the tenth, eleventh, and twelfth grades who are interested in science. In some cases ninth graders are permitted to join.

Art Club Joins Virginia Museum

Among the Art Club's first activities was joining the Virginia Museum. By belonging to this group, the club received exhibits from the Museum during the year. The colored wood blocks by Ross Abrams were displayed in the cafeteria for the enjoyment of the students. These paintings were studied by the students in the art classes so that they could gain a greater appreciation for that type of art. Late in the spring the club journeyed to Richmond to visit the Virginia Museum.

By drawing posters for school and community organizations, the Art Club earned money which was used to carry out its various

projects.

Although this was the Art Club's second year in existence, it is the first year it has been represented in the COLONNADE because it was not organized until late in the school year, 1953-1954.

Organized under the leadership of Mrs. Judson Baldwin, the club members worked to promote their purpose which was "to bring about a better appreciation of the classic art to the students, and to impress upon them

the beauty and inspiration found in the expression of others."

Membership was open to any art student who made C or above, to any former art student who made C or better on his work, and to eighth graders and transfer students who could pass a try-out test.

Using as its motto, Ars Gratia Artis, "Art For the Sake of Art", the club held regular meetings on the first and third Thursdays of each month.

Colorful posters were placed in the cafeteria concerning eating habits. These posters encourage the students to use good manners in the cafeteria and not to substitute ice cream for a good substantial lunch.

The Art Club sponsored a candidate for Homecoming Queen and also entered a float in the parade. Although it did not win a prize it received several favorable comments.

Next year the club plans to have pins for its members. The design will consist of the letter "A" with several brushes through the center of it.

CAROLE REYNOLDS	
Mozelia Ford	
Mary Newman	
Robert Aylor	
Miss Eugenia Sanford	



Front row: Miss E. Sanford, R. Aylor, M. Newman, M. Ford, C. Reynolds. Second row: P. Clybern, A. Dodson, J. Yancey, R. Coughlin, L. Guinn, E. Tanner. Third row: W. Leathers, J. Fincham, C. Huffman, M.

Compton, F. Posey. Fourth row: J. Pruett. D. Dugan, O. Feaganes, J. Heflin, W. Minnis. Missing from picture E. Jenkins, R. Keys, A. Clark, E. Garr, M. Jenkins, M. Parker, M. Riley, J. Shaw, J. Shaw.



Front row: A. Covell, R. Bayne, K. Yancey, J. Johnson, P. Dulin, J. Burke, Mrs. F. Rosson, Second row: B. Butler, J. Coffman, S. Willis, B. Hundley, E. Rogers, B. Carpenter, N. Cave, P. Snellings, B. Dulin, C. Callahan, N. Rosenberger, Third row: S. Coates, M. Hamilton, C. Doyle, J. Tutwiler, J. Pruett, A. Carreras, B. Butler, C. Chapman, E. Preston, P. Kilby, C. Gore, Fourth row: R. White,

J. Weaver, M. Clatterbuck, W. Burton, B. Utz, O. Lohr, J. Green, C. Reynolds, J. Moore, B. Troxell. Fifth row: J. Korte, M. Crews, S. Colvin, E. Duncan, C. Chilton, H. Fox, S. Marvin, F. Griffith, L. Wayland. Missing from picture: J. Combs, K. Harlow, W. Eggert, D. James, P. Mills, B. Lohr.

Pan Americans End Year With Festival

KATHLEEN YANCEY	
RICHARD BAYNE	Vice President
Peggy Dulin	Secretary
Audrey Covell	Treasurer
Mrs. Franklin Rosson	

Climaxing its activities for the year, the Pan American Club celebrated Pan American Week, April 18-23, emphasizing Mexico. During the week mottoes on homeroom boards, the menu, and grace were all in Spanish.

On Tuesday, April 19, a Mexican game was played during intermural sports. A Spanish dinner, which was prepared and served by Spanish I students, was given for the club members on Thursday night. A program in the form of a TV talent show was presented in assembly on Friday with talent representing each of the Pan American countries. That night the club sponsored a dance for the entire student body in the cafeteria.

Other activities during the week included exhibits in stores and at school, a radio program featuring music of both the Americas, and articles in the newspaper about Latin American countries. A model of the Pan American Union was also constructed and the purpose of this organization was discussed.

At Christmastime, the Spanish students made Christmas cards with Spanish verses on them and sang Christmas carols in Spanish. A pinata, which is the Spanish Nativity scene, was also constructed.

Making booklets on Latin American countries was the chief project of the senior club. In order to make these booklets, the pupils had to write letters in Spanish to Pan American countries asking for information about the country. The junior club gave book reviews on Spanish background materials.

Except for explanations about the work, Spanish was spoken at all times during regular class sessions. Both the junior and senior club meetings were conducted in Spanish throughout the year. This was done so that the students would become accustomed to speaking Spanish. Bingo and lotto were played in Spanish in order to learn to use numbers and to increase the vocabulary of the pupils.

Twenty students took the Virginia Modern Foreign Language Tournament test on March 29. Several scholarships were awarded to seniors in the state who received outstanding grades on the examination.

A Spanish Gypsy Picnic was held in May, at which time the officers for the ensuing year were installed.

Tournament Draws Six Top Rankers

Throughout the year the Latin students worked toward the goal of representing their club in the Latin Tournament at the University of Virginia. Attending this contest is quite an honor, as only the most outstanding students are chosen to go. The final results showed Kenneth Dobyns representing Latin II; Christine Haught, Mary Hall, Marylee Newman, Barbara Ross, and Linda Sudduth represented the Latin I class. Students earning a grade of 85 or above on the examination, received a certificate of merit for their achievement.

Latin week was observed at CHS April 11-16. Among the week's activities were an assembly, a bulletin board display, and the Latin Tournament.

Composed of second-year Latin students, the 1954-55 club boasted fourteen members. Using as its motto, "Labor omnia vincit," Labor conquers all, the council met during the regular Latin II class period on the first Friday in each month. During the meetings plans were made for activities later in the year. Programs on interesting phases of

Roman life were presented after the business session.

The Olympic Council presented an enlarged color picture of Venus de Milo to the school in February which was displayed in the library. This picture was taken of the actual statue in the Louvre at Paris, France, by Miss Marian West. Miss West, who teaches Latin at St. Catherine's in Richmond, Virginia, accompanied Miss Laura Thornhill on her trip abroad in the summer of 1953. The Council is also planning to present a scrapbook dealing with classical Latin to the school.

"Thumbs down to Manchester" was the theme of the float entered in the Homecoming parade. The float was a scene of gladiators in the Colosseum.

Junior Classical League pins and plasticoat book covers were purchased by the Olympic Council members. A picnic was held at the Country Club in May. This festive occasion was enjoyed by all the members of the club.

Jay Geest was elected Aedile in February, when Mary Thom White moved to Richmond.

CHERRY GORHAM	1
Ann Rawlings Tribune	
SARAH WILLIS	
Mary White	
(JAY GEEST)	



Front row: C. Gorham, A. Rawlings, M. White, Miss L. Thornhill. Second row: D. Callahan, E. Clark, M. Mc-Inturff, V. Parker, E. Portis. *Third row:* L. Nelson, K.

Dobyns, J. Geest, R. Ayler, A. Swan. Missing from picture: S. Willis.



Front row: L. Sims, R. Myers, B. Norris, B. Myers, G. Dodson. Second row: B. Crane, F. Barfield, M. Deal, S.

Settle, R. Corder, P. Keys. *Third row:* Mr. W. Favre. J. Bache, J. Hunt, J. James. P. Carder, V. Corbin.

Sims Tops District In Judging

BETTY NORRIS	President
Roger Myers	President
Lenora Sims	Secretary
Barbara Myers	reasurer
MR WOODROW FAVRE	Admiser

The entire DE club attended the Northern Area Convention in Washington, D. C., February 23. At this convention three CHS students competed in contests. Lenora Sims won first place in judging a window display. By receiving this honor, she competed with contestants from all over the state at the State Convention in Richmond, Virginia. Other contestants at the area convention were Betty Norris, who entered the "Judging the Job Interview" contest, and John Hunt, who participated in the contest for judging the Sales Demonstration.

The Distributors' Club presented an assembly on Friday, December 10. The program consisted of various comical skits portraying the DE members at their respective jobs. Paul Carder and Roger Myers enacted a scene concerning the fact that Fred's Food Market was surrounded by Newberry's. John James shocked his customer. Frances Barfield, with his meat cutting methods. Frances also acted in a skit with Robert Corder, who was riding the tricycle that he was trying to sell.

James Bache acted the part of a man selling a liquid "cure-all" until Bernard Crane, posing as Sgt. Joe Friday, discovered the illegal vendor.

Repeating an annual custom the Distributors' Club held an Employer-Employee Banquet. Held in the school cafeteria, the dinner was enjoyed by all who attended.

Under the guidance of their sponsor, Mr. Woodrow Favre, the club members strove to learn more about the field of distribution and to acquire training in it. With this knowledge and training, the students became better qualified to hold responsible jobs in the business world.

The club sent one delegate to the State Convention in Richmond, in addition to Lenora Sims. The DE members also entered a float in the Homecoming Parade.

In order to become a member of the Distributors' Club, a student must be a junior or senior in high school, be a member of the distributive education class, and work an average of fifteen hours a week.

Businesses Draw Eleven Students

Learning by experience was the idea put into practice by the members of the Diversified Occupation Club at CHS. The members were employed by various business firms in Culpeper.

Members of the club were from both the junior and senior classes. The students attended school half a day or all day and then worked in the afternoon. Pupils attending school only half a day took required subjects such as English and social studies. The regular DO class, taught by Mr. Shirley Broyles, met during the first period of each day. The class counted one credit and the job of working in a business firm counted one credit. Therefore, each member of the DO Club earned two credits for graduation by taking this class. The student workers were paid for their work just as any other employees are.

Students employed in local firms were Randolph Brown, Brown-Marean Lumber Company; LeRoy Baumgardner, Woody's Service Station; Thomas Jenkins, Farm Bureau; James Kibler, Kibler's Garage; Wayne Pycha, Hoffman Implement Service; George Bryson, Baby Jim's Snack Bar; Alvin Wilson, Culpeper Planing Mill; Aubrey Johnson, Clore-Williams

Pontiac Company and Robert Woolfrey, Moscarella's Garage. Emmett Martin and Harold Pritt served as plumbing and carpenter assistants, respectively.

Delegates from the Culpeper Chapter attended the State DO Convention on April 4 and 5, held at Hotel Roanoke, Roanoke, Virginia. This meeting was the highlight of

the 1954-55 year.

The purpose of the DO Club is to provide activities for students enrolled in the Diversified Occupations class. The DO Club completed its ninth year of existence at CHS in June, 1955. The organization, which was affiliated with the Diversified Occupation Clubs of Virginia, held its meetings once a month during class period. In addition to its other activities the DO Club decorated a car for the Homecoming Parade.

By getting work training in the DO Club, the members found out about conditions they would face when they went out into the world to make a living. Through Diversified Occupation, the students found it possible for them to meet the public and get a good start in the business world.

RANDOLPH Brown
HAROLD PRITT
ROGER BAUMGARDNER
Thomas Jenkins
LeRoy Baumgardner
Mr. Shirley Broyles



Front row: R. Brown, L. Baumgardner, R. Baumgardner, T. Jenkins, H. Pritt. Second row: J. Kibler, A. Wilson,

E. Martin, Mr. S. Broyles, *Third row:* R. Woolfrey, G. Bryson, A. Johnson, W. Pycha.



Front row: M. White, M. Eaheart, J. Bragg, A. Printz, S. Myers, B. King, F. Hensley. Second row: B. Butler, N. Rosenberger, I. Greer, C. Carter, P. Priest, R. Haught, S. Hitt, J. Smith, C. White, Miss M. Bolen. Third row: E. Jacobs, B. Butler, B. Fox, K. Helmes, B. King, S. Myers,

M. Thayer, J. Printz, W. Shaw, M. Hawkins, Fourth row, K. Brown, L. Yowell, M. Utz, P. Hawkins, F. Dodson, P. Brown, B. Ross, E. Barfield, G. Curtis, C. Gibbs, Fifth row, R. Dodson, A. Swan, J. Heflin, F. Lucas, R. Robson, L. Leavell, F. Brault, R. Myers, W. Gore.

Librarians Present Book Week Play

AUDREY PRINTZ	
JAQUELIN BRAGG	Vice President
Shelby Myers	Secretary-Treasurer
Miss Mary George Boley	Adviser

In observance of National Book Week, November 15-19, the Library Club presented a play for assembly, November 19. The play entitled, "Books Speak Their Piece" depicted various books telling woeful tales of how they had been mistreated by their owners. The cast included Alexander Swan, "Caesar"; Richard Robson, "Macbeth"; Winfrey Gore, "Ivanhoe"; Barbara King, "Dictionary"; Barbara Ross, "American Poetry"; Marion White, "Alice in Wonderland"; Joyce Printz, "Joan of Arc"; Robert Myers, "Legend of Sleepy Hollow"; Frederic Brault, "David Copperfield"; Constance White, "Macgruder"; and Shelby Myers, maid. By presenting a program of this type, the group hoped to encourage students to take better care of not only the books as well

Throughout the year, two bulletin boards are maintained in the library by this organization. On one are such items as scholarships or contests in which students may compete, an assembly schedule, and the cafeteria menu for the week. The other displays information about books of various kinds that may be found in the library. Phoebe Brown was in charge of the bulletin boards during the first semester. Joan Smith and Sarah Hitt were co-chairmen for the second term.

A Christmas Party was held for the group on December 16. The members played several Christmas games and Barbara Jean King read a story called, "The Little Angel."

At the January 20 meeting, two film strips, "How to Use Your Library", and "How to Use The Encyclopedia", were shown. These were presented so that the club members would become better acquainted with library procedures. Therefore, they could become more capable workers. Three programs on librarianship as a vocation were presented at the February, March, and April meetings. A picnic was planned for the late spring.

Every member of the Library Club must work at least sixty hours during the school year to receive a certificate of merit. Each of the forty-five members worked one week out of every three during his study hall period. Thirty-six of the students worked at the circulation and permits desk; six typed reading records; one was in charge of new books; one worked on the magazines, and one typed.

"We've Booked Manchester For 'De-feet' ", was the theme of the group's float in the Homecoming Parade. The club sponsored Audrey Printz for Homecoming Queen.

FTA Studies Profession's Needs

The Future Teachers of America included in its membership students who planned to enter the teaching profession. Under the supervision of Miss Virginia Lewis, the organization met on the third Thursday of every month. Each meeting consisted of a business session followed by a program. The club's programs were devoted to a study of the different issues relative to the teaching profession.

Various fields of teaching were studied so that the members could select the field which they wished to enter. The club discussed the colleges that offered the best courses in the different fields. Miss Lewis kept the group informed on new fields that were being opened in the teaching profession. Salaries of teachers in various branches were also compared.

In investigating the teacher shortage the FTA found it most prevalent in elementary education and in special fields in high school. The groups discussed the projected school enrollment for the next ten years so that they could see how great the high school teacher shortage would be. They discovered that in

the 1964-65 school session there would be approximately a million students in school compared to the 720,000 pupils in Virginia schools now. This would necessitate at least 1,000 additional teachers each year for the next 10 years. This material was studied to point out the need of getting additional high school teachers to meet the continued shortage.

The national organization of Future Teachers of America, in existence for 17 years, has 1,325 college and high school chapters in 1954. The Board of Directors of the Virginia Education Association recently passed a resolution asking that a FTA be organized in each high school in the state. The aim of the club is to give young people a chance to explore the opportunities of teaching, to acquaint them with current information about opportunities in various fields of education. At one of the meetings, Mr. Combs spoke to the members on teacher scholarships that were available, and the requirements for obtaining them.

Next year the club plans to affiliate with the national FTA and secure pins for its members.

Frances Kibler Presiden	t
Betty Hundley	t
Jacquelin Coffman	ľ
COLEEN CALLAHAN	r
Miss Virginia Lewis	r



Front row: Miss V. Lewis, S. Hall, F. Kibler, J. Coffman, C. Callahan, Second row: M. Hall, B. Ut., L. O'Neal, F. McDowell, B. Hundley.



Front row: P. Dulin, A. Covell, F. Kibler, S. Stultz, B. Carpenter, B. Norris, A. Griffin. Second row: A. Printz, E. Rogers, J. Hilton, A. Montgomery, B. Clatterbuck, E. Feaganes, R. Mooney, B. Dulin, Mrs. F. Rosson. Third

row: F. McDowell, B. Hundley, S. Willis, J. Woolfrey, K. Harlow, F. Butler, J. Moore, P. Kilby. Fourth row: M. Harding, C. Doyle, F. Haught, M. Peters, B. Spilman, J. Tutwiler, M. Kilby. Missing from picture: P. Mills

Tri-Hi-Y Organizes Junior Club

Beverley Carpenter.	President
Peggy Dulin	e President
SHIRLEY STULTZ	Secretary
Frances Kibler	Treasurer
Mrs. Franklin Rosson	Admiser

First on the club's agenda for the year was the organization of a Junior Tri-Hi-Y, composed of eighth graders and freshmen.

In October Mr. Jack Wayland, head football coach, spoke to the Tri-Hi-Y on "School Spirit." He stated that school spirit was largely a feeling of belonging. By getting more students to participate in school activities, more school spirit could be developed, he explained. From January through April, the program meetings consisted of discussions of topics in "Teen Talk", a booklet issued by the YMCA.

Accompanied by their adviser, Mrs. Franklin Rosson, Maxine Kilby, Emily Rogers, and Beverley Carpenter attended the District 4, Hi-Y-Tri-Hi-Y Conference, November 6-7. Two delegates and a reporter also represented the club at Model General Assembly.

The club, together with the junior organization, "adopted" a child in the county and gave her a basket of food and a "Toni" doll for Christmas. Following an established custom, the group co-sponsored the Sweetheart Cotillion, the Valentine dance. It also conducted a "Clean Scholarship" campaign during exams. A Mother-Daughter Banquet was held for the first time on May 6.

Having completed the necessary requirements, the Tri-Hi-Y became an "Ace" club for the fourth consecutive year.

Junior Tri-Hi-Y Makes Appearance

Organized on September 15, the Junior Tri-Hi-Y became the youngest club at Culpeper High School during the year 1954-55. Its first regular meeting was held on October

27.

Presenting the Sadie Hawkins Dance was the club's first major activity. For this occasion the girls asked the boys for dates and had to escort them to and from the dance. Many of the boys wore traditional "Dogpatch" corsages, made by their dates from dried vegetables, weeds. and leaves. Marshall Clatterbuck and Ellen Mac Mahon were chosen as the typical Li'l Abner and Daisy Mae.

Together with the other "Y" clubs, the group worked on a float for the Homecoming Parade and sold pennants at the Homecoming game. In their club meetings, they stressed good sportsmanship at athletic events.

In January the club helped with a campaign for clean scholarship during the week of examinations. At its program meetings in February. March. April. and May, the group had discussions on topics suggested in "Teen Talk," a program guide published by the YMCA.

A St. Patrick's Day Party was given by the Junior Tri-Hi-Y on March 19. "Teen-Age Party Time," a local disc-jockey program, furnished music for the dance.

The group co-operated with the senior Tri-Hi-Y in presenting a Christmas pageant for an assembly, holding a Halloween Carnival, sending a Christmas basket to their "adopted" child, and holding a Mother-Daughter Banquet on May 6.

For the third year these clubs presented Holy Week Services at Eastertime from April 4-7. Every morning before school, a minister from one of the local churches gave a short

message from 8:40-9:00.

Two members of the Junior Tri-Hi-Y attended Model General Assembly, March 31-April 2. as pages. Delegates from this club journeyed to Blue Ridge during the summer for a course in officer's training.

On May 2, the club delighted the faculty members by presenting them with May Day baskets. A picnic was planned during the summer, at which time plans would be made for the coming year.

CECELIA VERNON	resident
Sue Gallagher	
Mary Hansbrough	
Paula Hawkins	
Mrs. Franklin Rosson	Adviser



First row: Mrs. F. Rosson, S. Gallagher, P. Hawkins, P. Pound, E. Mac Mahon, C. Vernon, M. Hansbrough, B. Johnson. Second row: L. Clatterbuck, M. Grimsley, B. Browning, R. Stinnett, N. Troxell, J. Driskill, E. Burton, G. Edwards, J. Tolson. Third row: S. Spitler, J. Kinzer, M. Armstrong, R. Hawkins, B. Kinsey, L. Greer, P.

Yancey, E. Kirkpatrick, B. Howard, Fourth v. F. Clatterbuck, M. Parker, D. Hackley, M. McFarland, P. Martin, R. Lucas, J. Myers, J. Heffin, B. White, Firth row: S. Corbin, E. Garr, T. Carson, C. Seale, L. Jones, B. Landis, N. Partlow, N. Myers, E. Benning, More notes in picture: A. Clark, B. Rixey, L. Stein



Front row: B. Browning, S. Gallagher, W. Leathers, M. Clatterbuck, O. Lohr, J. Yowell, M. Grimsley, B. Johnson, S. Guinn, J. Geest. Second row: M. Smoot, E. Portis, W. Browning, D. Printz, J. Willis, F. Jacobs, B. Gore, L. Rosson, E. Duncan, W. Aylor, C. Creel, J. Kinzer, M. Armstrong, S. Coughlin, M. Arrowood. Third row: F. Kibler, B. Nicholson, R. Printz, R. Sisk, G. Smith, J.

Creel, T. Gore, C. Callahan, R. Grimsley, P. Baldwin, F. Blantz, N. Martin, M. Coates, J. Driskill. *Standing:* J. Jacobs, Mr. W. Thomas, G. Edwards, C. Vernon, W. Harlow, H. Crane, H. Painter, H. Fitzgerald, O. Corbin, R. Aylor, W. Singleton. *Missing from picture:* A. Johnson, N. Partlow, H. Hawkins, M. Holman, S. Butler.

Musicians Acquire Color Guard

JESSE YOWELL	
James Geest	
WILLIAM AYLOR	Second Lieutenant
Edward Duncan	Librarian
Paul Baldwin	Drum Major
Mary Thompson	Drum Majorette
Mr. Walter Thomas	Adriser

Boasting the largest enrollment in its history, the Band numbered 50 during the 1954-55 session. The Color Guard made its first appearance with the CHS Band at the Warrenton football game. Wearing white hats and uniforms with gold trim and plumes, Randolph Aylor, Willie Singleton, James Jacobs, and Aubrey Johnson helped to improve the band's appearance as a unit. The American flag and Virginia state flag were carried by two of the boys; the other members carried rifles. John Hartman and Robert Lipscomb replaced Aubrey Johnson and James Jacobs in the spring, when the latter two quit school.

The Band played at all of the home football games and traveled to two away games at Manassas and Fredericksburg. At halftime they gave a performance on the field, playing several songs while the majorettes showed their skill in baton twirling. Amazing precision and teamwork was displayed as the members

formed intricate formations while playing.

Entertaining at the District N teachers meeting in Berryville, October 1, the band played selections by Rogers and Hammerstein and several marches. Among the numbers played were "You'll Never Walk Alone" and "We Kiss in a Shadow" by Rogers and Hammerstein; "Autumn Nocturne" by Merle J. Isaac; and "Stars and Stripes Forever" by John Phillip Sousa. Jesse Yowell played a cornet solo in "We Kiss in a Shadow."

During the Homecoming celebration, the group performed at the Alumni Association meeting.

A program consisting of six marches was presented for the student body at an assembly in the fall. Included in the program were "Activity," "Project," "Mutual," "Military Escort," "Summit," and "Stars and Stripes Forever."

Sixteen reserve members were on hand to

aid the band whenever necessary. Using the money earned during the magazine campaign in November, the group purchased twenty-five new band uniforms, sixty braids, several additional instruments, and four color guard uniforms. The Parent Band Association and other interested patrons also contributed toward the purchase of the equipment.

Second place, carrying with it a prize of fifty dollars, was awarded to the band for the outstanding performance in the Orange Christmas Parade. The groups also marched in the Culpeper Christmas Parade. Although they did not place, they received many favorable comments.

The Ann Wingfield band, organized several years ago, to train members who will eventually feed into the high school band, made its first public appearance in the Christmas Parade at Culpeper. Everyone was amazed at how well they played and at their marching ability. This organization, under the direction of Mr. Walter Thomas, taught the students the fundamental music principles and gave them experience in learning how to play in a group so that their music would blend in with the rest of the instruments. The elementary band took part in the regular band's Spring Concert.

Jesse Yowell and Jay Geest represented the CHS Band in the All-State Band, February 4, 5, and 6, in Winchester. Both boys were in the Workshop Band at this assembly.

The band played for the Pep Rally, February 10, at the assembly program. They presented an assembly in April, at which time they played some of the selections that were included in their spring concert.

For the first time the band participated in

the Apple Blossom Festival Parade in Winchester, during the spring. This was a great honor as some of the best bands in this section of the country performed at the parade.

Climaxing the year's activities was the annual spring Band Concert, which was held in the high school gymnasium on April 22. The selections played for the concert included "Blue Tango," "Midnight Sun," "Liberty Bell," "In A Persian Market," "William Tell Overture," "Clock In The Toy Shop," and a medley entitled "Best Loved Southern Melodies." One of the highlights of the program was "Show Boat," a selection including such songs as "Cotton Blossom," "Make Believe," "Valon's Theme," "Ol' Man River," "Misery," "Can't Help Lovin' Dat Man," "Captain Andy," "Why Do I Love You?" and "Hey, Fellah."

During the late spring the group also performed at a three-day band contest in Warrenton. In May, the band marched in the Safety Council Parade in Washington, D. C.

Ending a very eventful year, the band played at the graduation exercises in June.

In the band were two solo groups: a trombone quartet and a trumpet trio. The trombone quartet consisted of Colleen Callahan, Teddy Gore, Robert Grimsley, and Gregory Smith; Jesse Yowell, Oliver Lohr, and Marshall Clatterbuck composed the trumpet trio.

The majorettes, led by Mary Lee Thompson, had two new members, Fannie Butler and Mary Hansbrough. This group marched with the band at all its performances and performed various routines while the band played at the football games. Paul Baldwin, the new drum major, made a fine showing as leader of the band and majorettes.





Left, A. Johnson, J. Jacobs, R. Aylor, W. Singleton, Center, P. Baldwin, Right, P. Kilby, M. Hansbrough, F. Butler, P. Nichols, K. Wilson, B. King, M. Thompson,

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Front row: B. Brown, J. Heflin, C. Chilton, S. Colvin, W. Burton. Second row: L. Nelson, R. Aylor, J. Geest, J. Yowell, Mr. J. Long. Third row: O. Feaganes, A. Swan, R.

Bayne, M. Crews. Fourth row: W. Pycha, E. Duncan, R. Lipscomb, H. Fox.

Yowell Vice President of District Hi-Y

CHARLES CHILTON.	President
Stuart Colvin	President
Benjamin Brown	Secretary
Walter Burton	Treasurer
John Heflin	Chaplain
VIR. TOHY LOYG	Adviser

Four Hi-Y members represented the Culpeper club at the District Hi-Y-Tri-Hi-Y Conference in Staunton, November 6-7. Herbert Fox, Lewis Nelson, and Charles Chilton went as delegates. Jesse Yowell, being vice president of the district, also attended and presided during the Saturday afternoon session. The entire conference was centered around the theme, "The 'C' Makes The Difference." During the election of officers for Model General Assembly, Jesse Yowell was elected clerk of the Senate. Many helpful ideas were brought back from the various discussion groups at the meeting.

Although bad weather caused the Sweetheart Cotillion to be postponed for twenty-four hours, it was still a great success. Held on Saturday. February 12, the dance, sponsored by the "Y" clubs, was the only formal one which underclassmen could attend. Jesse Yowell and Audrey Printz were selected as the King and Queen of Hearts by the chaperones. Jay Geest was general chairman of the dance for the Hi-Y. After intermission the members of the

"Y" clubs and their dates formed a heart on the dance floor. Led by the presidents of the Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y, the group went through part of the Grand March and then formed themselves into the figure of a heart.

One of the chief money-making projects of the club was the sale of candy at the home basketball games. Another joint project of the "Y" clubs was the Christmas Dance to which each person brought some food or a toy as his admission. These items were given to the Com-

munity Christmas project.

World Day of Prayer services were conducted at school by the Hi-Y, February 25. Charles Chilton, president of the group, was in charge of the devotionals at the District SCA meeting in Culpeper, November 24. In cooperation with the Tri-Hi-Y, the Hi-Y was responsible for having grace over the public address system every other week at lunchtime. The club members also attended church in a body once a month, the churches being visited in alphabetical order.

FFA Gives Five Awards at Banquet

Initiating a new practice, the FFA co-sponsored the FFA-FHA Banquet on February 2 in the school cafeteria. Robert Lipscomb served as toastmaster for the occasion.

Five boys were recognized at that time for their outstanding work in the FFA. Ellsworth Christensen, an FFA alumnus, received a star award for his outstanding work as last year's president. By winning second place in the district public speaking contest, Robert Lipscomb was presented the speaking award. Others receiving awards were Charles Bawkey, for dairy work; Harry Carpenter, in mechanics; and Julian Aylor, for soil and water management.

Culpeper claimed fifth place in the Forestry Judging Contest at Spotsylvania, November 4. Roger Tinsley, Willie Singleton, Randolph Settle, and Wayne Smith attended the contest. Randolph was the high scorer in the Culpeper group.

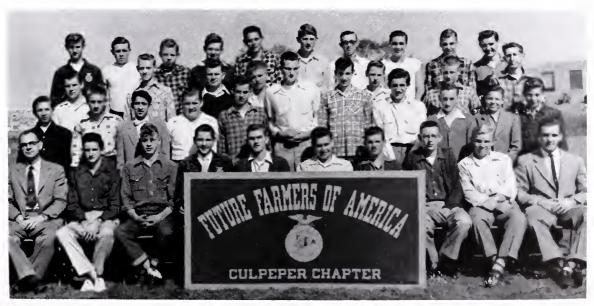
At a meeting of the George Washington FFA Federation at Stafford, October 5, Robert Lipscomb was elected vice president. Other delegates from Culpeper were Roger Tinsley and Harry Carpenter.

One of the group's first activities of the year was selling subscriptions to "The Breeder Gazette Magazine." Night meetings were held for the first time this year, at which time the "Green Hands" were initiated. The FFA also sponsored the winning candidate for Homecoming Queen, Susan Hall.

The George Washington Federation Shop and Crop Judging Contest was held in Culpeper, February 9. Culpeper placed first in the shop judging contest and second in crop judging.

The Culpeper Chapter climaxed its year's activities by sending representatives to the annual state FFA convention in Blacksburg.

Evans Hensley	ident
ROGER TINSLEY	
RANDOLPH SETTLESecr	etary
GENE TIMMONS	isurer
Mr. Shirley Broyles	dviser



Front row: Mr. S. Broyles, H. Mills, R. Settle, R. Lipscomb, R. Tinsley, E. Hensley, G. Timmons, V. King, H. Carpenter, Mr. J. Long. Second row: D. Bennert, D. Young, W. Smith, W. Butler, D. Eisenman, R. Kelley, W. Singleton, H. Sohns, C. Pritt, H. Hash, J. Kellison. Third row: J. Butler, G. Carroll, J. Aylor, R. Jones, L. Blow, G. O'Neal,

D. Dibble, Fourth row, J. Jacobs, J. Celvin, R. Summers, G. Dodson, G. Donald, M. Peters, C. Bawkey, F. Haynes, J. Haught, M. Dillard. Missing from picture: L. Clatterbuck, G. Arthur, L. Anderson, R. Atkins, J. Hawkins, T. Spicer, G. Stover.



Front row: M. Grimsley, B. Jacobs, E. Clark, W. Butler, E. Hensley, R. Lipscomb, D. Minor, M. Carder, M. White, Mr. H. Gilbert. Second row: F. Myers, M. Nelson, M. McCloud, J. Smith, B. Pound, S. Whitlock, D. Carder, S. Butler, B. Lipscomb, V. Curtis, N. Partlow, R. Heflin. Third row: R. Aylor, F. Griffith, F. Miller, N. Martin, L. Greer, P. Yancey, T. Botts, D. Woolfrey, E. Yowell.

D. Hackley, I., Jones, E. Feaganes. Fourth row: B. Gore, W. Mitchell, M. Minor, W. Jones, J. Moore, J. Brown, J. Printz, E. Corbin, W. Smith, L. Andersen, E. Duncan, Fifth row: D. Young, B. Avlor, J. Willis, G. Smith, F. Blantz, M. Holman, M. Dillard, J. Hudson, F. Jacbos, J. Meade, J. Haught, J. Arthur. Missing from picture: Mr. J. Long.

4-H Achievement Day Honors Leadership

SENIOR		JUNIOR
Benjamin Brown	President	IACOB HAUGHT
ROBERT LIPSCOMB		WILLIAM MITCHELL
JOAN MOORE	Secretary	JANE BROWN
MARIE WHITE		JANE BROWN
Mr. Henry Gilbert		Mr. John Long

Putting into practice their motto, "To Make the Best Better." the Junior and Senior 4-H Clubs displayed their achievements and projects at various shows during the year. The hard work of many 4-H'ers was justified when many received ribbons and prizes at the Culpeper Farm Show, September 3, 4. Some of the members went on to the district and state fairs. gaining more recognition as junior farmers and homemakers.

4-H Achievement Day, which was held on November 20, cited the outstanding work of many youths. Those receiving awards in various fields were Mary Carder, leadership and frozen foods: Marie White, canning; Virginia Curtis, food preparation: Gregory Smith, dairy achievement: Brenda Johnson, clothing: Evans Hensley, general achievement: Lucille Jones, bread: William Jones and Robert Lipscomb, meat animal; and Elizabeth Speiden and Robert Lipscomb, public speaking. Elizabeth Speiden and Barbara Jacobs received home and electric awards.

Under the leadership of Mr. Henry Gilbert and Miss Elizabeth Farrar. County Home Demonstration Agent, the clubs undertook several new projects. Scotch-Lite tape was sold to be put on farm implements as a safety measure. Later in the year, the members participated in a campaign to exterminate rats in the county.

Courses in electricity were offered to those who were interested. Elizabeth Feaganes attended the Rural Electrification Congress in Richmond, September 2, 3, 4.

Three students competed in the 4-H Club area contest held in Culpeper on February 5. Doris Carder entered the bread contest; Ellen Speiden, food preparation; and Elizabeth Speiden, home improvement. This was the fifth time this contest had been held in Culpeper.

National 4-H Club Week was observed March 5-13. At that time the clubs presented a radio and assembly program and displayed an exhibit on the school bulletin board. On Rural Life Sunday the group attended church in a body. Throughout the year, recreational programs of various types were held.

The clubs were well represented at the State Short Course at V. P. I. the previous summer, with sixteen boys and girls attending. At this assembly. Elizabeth Speiden was elected an All-Star, bringing this county's school members to four. Camp Farrar at Virginia Beach and camp Holiday Lake near Appomattox also had Culpeper delegates, with sixteen and thirty-four, respectively, attending.

Honorable mention was awarded to the 4-H Club's float in the Homecoming Parade, the theme being "We're Gonna Can Manchester."



CHAPTER IV

"To make sure our school life is a well-rounded one, Culpeper High School provides sports for its students. Johnny may, if he wishes, go out for junior varsity or varsity football, and basketball, track, and baseball. There are enough sports so that all the boys have a chance to participate in the sport or sports of their choice. Although the girls' sports are more limited than the boys', there are still enough to keep a girl busy. I may try out for varsity or junior varsity cheerleading, basketball, and softball. Being on these teams helps Johnny and me to practice

good sportsmanship, develop character and maintain physical fitness.

"Though it takes extra time to participate in sports, we enjoy doing it and meet many new people. If Johnny and I are not taking part in a sport, we are always on the sidelines to give our classmates support with a cheer. Not only does it take the players on the field or floor to have good teams, but also people on the sidelines to cheer them to victory.

"We would like to introduce the teams which represent our school in all the athletic events."



Top, front row: J. Amos, R. Printz, C. Chilton, R. Dodson, L. Leavell, W. Cunningham, E. Martin. Second row: Mr. J. Wayland, J. Kibler, D. Coates, R. Myers, M. Jenkins, R. Weakley. Bottom, front row: D. Weakley,

J. Weakley, J. Johnson, E. Duncan, R. Robson, R. Crismond, J. Weakley, W. Hawkins. Second rocu: W. Cropp, K. Haverstock, T. Gore, G. Morris, Mr. B. Walker. Missing from picture: J. Payne.

Coach Faces Smallest Squad In Years

JOHN INSKEEP DAVID COATES
Robert Weakley Jerry Payne
Mr. James Wayland
MR. BOBBY WALKER. Line Coach

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Date Opponent	Place	CHS	Oppts.
September 10-Warrenton		6	6
September 17—Fairfax		0	24
September 24—Chester	Away	0	35
October 1—Augusta Military	Away	6	0
October 8-Manassas		0	25
October 15—Orange		33	12
October 24—Fredericksburg.		6	26
October 30—Falls Church		7	0
November 5—Manchester	Home	0	25
November 12—Madison		7	20

With the smallest squad in many years reporting for football practice, Coach James Wayland returned to coaching after a year's absence and faced an inexperienced group. Ten of last year's squad reported and were joined by 25 boys, some of whom had moved up from Junior Varsity. The loss of letter-

man Edwin Gaines, who suffered a knee injury early in the season, weakened the line. Roger Myers, a fast backfield man, was out the latter part of the season with a broken hand. Facing this small inexperienced squad of players were some of the best teams in District 2, Group 2.

Little Devils Gain Pigskin Ability

Winning their first game against Albemarle, a newcomer to the Junior Varsity schedule, the 1954 Junior Varsity Football team gave the Culpeper fans a spectacular display of "stickto-it-ness" and stamina. Under the direction of Coach James Stover, the Little Devils proved their ability as future Blue Devils as they ended their season with four wins and only two losses to their credit.

Their initial luck did not hold as the Dinks dropped their second game to a strong Orange junior varsity, but the same spirit which sparked the big Devils must have spread to their younger brothers, as they went on to overpower an always strong Manassas eleven.

Again the Orange team defeated the Little Devils, and once more they came back to down the Albemarle Jayvees. In the last game of the season the Little Devils proved their unconcern for inexperience by once again showing Manassas that they were the better team.

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Date	Opponent	Place	CHS	Oppts.
September	30—Albemarle	. Home	19	0
October	7—Orange	. Home	0	7
October	14—Manassas	. Away	1.4	0
October	21—Orange	. Away	0	14
October	28—Albemarle	. Away	13	0
November	4—Manassas	Home	1.4	0

Douglas Bayne
Wright Leathers
Mr. James Stover



Front row: G. O'Neal, J. Preston, W. Jenkins, J. Geest. Second row: V. Haught, M. Fincham, M. Holman, D. Printz, T. Haught, L. Anderson, A. Landis, D. Bayne, W.

Leathers. *Third row:* Mr. J. Stover, R. Heffin, I. Willis, G. Jenkins, G. Dwyer, F. Miller, R. Ingram, P. Gurganus, R. Colvin, T. Haught, B. Utz, B. Bradshaw, F. Gaines.



Kneeling: G. Thayer. Standing: Mr. J. Stover, J. Korte, J. Weakley, J. Bache, J. Amos, W. Jones, E. Gaines, R. Tinsley, J. Weakley, J. Geest, J. Burke.

Balanced Team Indicates Future Success

George Thayer	Manager
Mr. James Stover	

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Date	Opponents	Place	CHS	Oppis.	Players	Points
DECEMBER	14—Warrenton	Нете	28	24	Gaines, E.	130
DECEMBER	17—Madison	He r e	38	35	Korte, J.	105
	20—Orange		24	40	Geest, J.	93
	7—Spotsylvania		27	34	Bache, J.	60
	15—Fredericksburg.		29	63	Burke, J.	53
JANUARY	21—Rappahannock	Here	37	4 I	Weakley. J.	42
	25—Albemarle		42	35	Tinsley, R.	39
	28—Orange		30	54	Weakley. J.	38
	I—King George		33	69	Jones, W.	14
	3—Spotsylvania		57	74	Amos, J.	7
	8—Warrenton		31	40 60	Coates, D.	0
	15—King George		27	63		
	18—Rappahannock		43 50	27		
	22—Albemarle		_	29		
	25—Louisa		43 48	33		

In the first five games scoring honors in varsity basketball changed hands each night and during the year changed eight times. Scoring of this caliber indicated a well-balanced club. Gaines was high scorer seven times; James Geest, five times; Korte, four; and William Jones, Burke, James Weakley, Roger Tinsley, and James Bache each led one time.

Edwin Gaines and David Coates were the only lettermen returning to the varsity basketball squad. Coates, due to injury, played in only two games. Gaines was the main work-

horse on the team with his high average of rebounds and also the season's high scorer with 130 points. Joel Burke's long shots and Joseph Korte's lay-ups gave spark.

In the most exciting game, played on the home floor with King George, the score was tied at half-time and see-sawed often in the third quarter which ended with the Foxes ahead by three points. In the last minute of the game, with the score again tied, Tinsley was fouled. He sank both shots to win the game.

JV Quintet Builds From One Letterman

With only one letterman and one other member of last year's jayvee basketball squad returning, the game record was still better than average. The team was composed of boys whose height averaged about 5'10".

Coach Bobby Walker cleared the bench of every player in the two Rappahannock games, and one each of the Warrenton, Fredericksburg, and King George games. This gave added experience to the second and the third string and helped save the first string for the harder

games. In the Orange, Albemarle, and Spotsylvania games Culpeper led in most of the game but lost in the fourth quarter, losing these three games by a total of 10 points. At the half time in the Louisa game the Rinkydinks were losing by one point, but came from behind in the third quarter and kept their lead the remainder of the game. The most unusual feature of the season happened in the Warrenton game, when a Warrenton man scored a goal for the Culpeper team.

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Date	Opponents	Place	CHS	Oppts.	Players	Points
December	20—Orange	There	20	26	Weakley, R.	106
JANUARY	7—Spotsylvania		31	33	Bayne, D.	96
January	15—Fredericksburg	. Here	17	43	Lamphier, J.	71
JANUARY	21—Rappahannock	. Here	32	I 3	Morris, G.	46
January	25—Albemarle	There	29	3 I	Cropp, W.	27
January	28—Orange		16	13	Haught, J.	7
February	1—King George		33	43	Ellington, R.	6
February	3—Spotsylvania	Here	30	26	Ingram, R.	5
February	8—Warrenton		34	17	Jenkins, W.	5
February	10—Fredericksburg	The r e	2 I	37	Jacobs, F.	4
	15—King George		33	19	Bazzle, J.	3 '
	18—Rappahannock		37	15	Korte, J.	3
FEBRUARY	22—Albemarle	. Here	2 I	34		
FEBRUARY	25—Louisa	. Here	25	18		

George Aylor	Manager
Mr. Bobby Walker	Coach



Front row: W. Cropp, G. Morris, R. Weakley, Mr. B. Walker, D. Bayne, J. Lamphier, P. Gurganus. Second row: G. Aylor, J. Smith, W. Jenkins, R. Colvin, R. Ingram, H.

Hawkins, J. Jenkins, J. Bazzle, J. Haught, F. Jacobs. Missing from picture: J. Korte, R. Ellington.



F. Kibler, M. Thompson, J. Bragg, V. Parker, P. Dulin, Miss S. Sherman, B. Dulin, J. Moore, P. Kilby, B. King, C. Reynolds, K. Harlow.

Girls First Unbowed Varsity Cagers

Peggy Dulin Barbara Dulin Co-Captain.
Fannie Butler
Miss Sara Sherman

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Date	Opponent	Place	CHS	Oppts.
December	14—Warrenton		30	18
January	7—Spotsylvania		41	9
JANUARY	14—Albemarle		50	21
January	21—Spotsylvania		47	19
January	25—Orange		29	25
February	I—Fredericksburg	Home	24	16
February	8—Albemarle	Away	35	22
February	ro—Front Royal	Away	37	20
	15—Orange		4 I	40
February	21—Front Royal	Home	44	20

For the first time in the history of girls' Varsity Basketball, "undefeated" was written on the record. With six returning lettermen and five first stringers moving up from the Junior Varsity, the team was one of the best prepared teams in the district.

Junior Mary Thompson led the Devilettes in scoring with a total of 129 points. Barbara Dulin and Frances Kibler, the other two first string forwards, followed with 121 and 94, respectively. Virginia Parker and Patricia Kilby had 29 and 5, respectively.

The season's success was not due all together to the fine record of the forwards in goals. The tight zone defense played by first string guards Jacquelin Bragg, Peggy Dulin, and Carole Reynolds, kept the opponents down to a minimum of goals. Barbara King, Joan Moore, and Kathleen Harlow also played a big part in helping the first string keep the opponents' scores low.

The most exciting game of the season was played at Orange. Orange was ahead the last two seconds by one point. B. Dulin went in to make a lay-up and was fouled. She made both foul shots to win the game.

Coach Sara Sherman stripped the bench every game but the two Orange games.

Defensive Work Holds Down Opponents

The Jayvee Girls' Basketball season featured the outstanding work of guards Ann Clatterbuck, Ellen Walker, and Rosalie Baber. Paula Hawkins, Joyce Printz, Barbara Rixey, Naomi Cave, Rebecca Hawkins, and Nancy Graves also made a good showing.

Like the guards, the forwards had little or no experience before this season. They were well balanced with Geraldine Curtis, Winifred Shaw, and Jane Brown serving as one unit and Linda Sudduth, Marion White, and Adrienne Hall as the other. The first three scored 112 points to 106 for the second trio. Not one of these forwards had ever scored a goal until this year. There were twenty-five girls on the squad and in several games every person on the team got into the game.

Curtis was high scorer with 49 points. Following closely behind were Sudduth with 39, Hall with 33, Shaw with 37, and White with 29. Brown made a good showing by racking up 26 points while Garr and Gloria Curtis dropped in points to help make the total number of points for the year to be 227.

			Scores	
Date	Opponent	Place	CHS	Oppts.
	7—Spotsylvania		38	13
	14—Albemarle		31	15
	21—Spotsylvania		35	17
	25—Orange		15	2 I
FEBRUARY	r I—Fredericksburg	Home	18	IO
	8—Albemarle		22	16
February	r 10—Front Royal	Away	27	22
	r 15—Orange		26	33
FEBRUARY	7 21—Front Royal	Home	15	12

Ann Clatterbuck Winifred Shaw	Co-Captains
Mr. Floyd Binns	



Seated: P. Hawkins, L. Sudduth, M. White, A. Hall, G. Curtis, J. Brown. Second row: Mr. F. Binns, W. Shaw, A. Clatterbuck, J. Printz, R. Baber, E. Walker, E. Garr,

R. Hawkins, B. Rixey, B. Benton, *Third row: G. Curtis*, N. Graves, G. Curtis, R. Coughlin, E. Barfield, B. Lipscomb, G. Edwards, T. Botts, E. Jacobs.



Front row: L. Woolfrey, D. Frye, D. Bayne, R. Ingram, R. Grimsley, R. Noakes. Second row: W. Cropp, D. Coates, E. Gaines, J. Kibler, W. Hedrick, D. Weakley, W. Parker, Mr. B. Walker. Third row: M. Dillard, S.

Colvin, H. Hicks, V. King, W. Gore, P. Carder, R. Robson, M. Jenkins, J. Parker, Mr. J. Stover. *Missing from picture:* K. Haverstock.

Coates, Parker, Noakes Break Records

William Cropp				
Mr. James Stover		Fie	ld Coach	
Mr. Bobby Walker				
Date Opponent Place	CHS S	cores Oppts.	Player Coates, D.	Points 67 1/2
April 8—Woodberry BWoodberry Fredericksburg	52 1/2	47 I/2 40	Noakes, R. Jenkins, M.	49 I/4 37 I/2
April 15—Albemarle There	74	16	Parker, J. King, V.	33 3/4 31 1/4
April 22—ManassasThere	43 1/2	42 1/2	Frye, D.	17 1/2
April 26—Orange	56	39	Parker, W. Gaines, E.	17 1/2
April 30—District	31	32 23 1/2	Grimsléy, R. Carder, P. Hedrick, W.	14 14 12 1/4 12
May 3—Louisa	79 5/6	19 1/6	Kibler, J. Hicks, H.	8 6
May 8—State Meet	14	19 16 15	Gore, W. Haverstock, K. Robson, R. Colvin, S. Woolfrey, L. Weakley, D.	1/2 1/2 1 1 1/2 1 5/6

Undefeated in the District the 1954 track team broke four school records. David Coates put the shot 56' I" and threw the discus 130'. John Parker, 880-runner set the record of 2:02. Richard Noakes clocked 21:1 on the 880—low hurdles. Victor King, mile runner and David Frye, a newcomer, in the relay gave promise to future teams.

Heaving the shot 52' 11" and running the 1,000 yard dash in 2:45.5, Coates and Winfrey Gore, respectively, each won a first place at the 1955 Atlantic Coast Conference Track Meet, February 25.

1954 Batting Honors Go To Chilton

Having lost their entire pitching staff, the 1954 Devils won only one of eight games of baseball. Joseph Korte, Ralph Atkins, Roger White, and William Hedrick composed the inexperienced pitching staff, it being the first time any of these had pitched a game of organized ball. Korte, injured while pitching, was not able to see much action during the last part of the season.

Captain John Parker, shortstop and winner

of four baseball letters, played his last game for CHS. With a batting average of .435, Charlie Chilton won the batting championship. Others playing their last year of high school baseball included Harris Burke, William Hedrick, Richard Noakes, Henry Utz, and Lawrence Woolfrey. Only six men returned to the squad. They were joined by 12 rookies and one transfer.

Date Opponent 1	Place	Sco CIIS		Player	Ptc.	AB	H	
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April 6—Albemarle I	Iome	0	6	Coates	. 241	29	7	
April 9-Spotsylvania H	Home	I	I 2	Burke	. 200	5	I	
		•		Weakley	. 192	26	5	
April 13—Fredericksburg.	lway	3	9	Noakes Parker	. 192	21	4	
APRIL 20—Manassas	Home	Q	10	Gore	. 191	22	4	
APRIL 23—Madison	Jamas	6		Pritt	. 190 . 125	21 8	4	
·		6	13	Tames	.091	II	1	
April 27—Spotsylvania	\way	9	10	Korte	.071	14	1	
April 29—Manassas	lwar	0	16	Woolfrey	.060	18	ī	
	-	0	10	Utz	.000	ΙÏ	0	
Max 7—Fredericksburg	lome	3	ΙO	Kennedy	. 000	4	0	
May 11—Madison	lway	7	5	Atkins	.000	4	0	
		,	3	Hedrick	.000	2	0	
				Utz	.000	3	0	
				Carpenter	.000	3	C	
				White	.000	0	0	

JOHN PARKER	·····.Captain
Wright Leathers	
Francis Griffith	
Mr. William Caldw	ELL



Front row: H. Pritt, W. Hedrick, H. Burke, H. Carpenter, R. White, T. Kennedy, R. Atkins, J. James, J. Korte, F. Griffith. Second row: W. Leathers, L. Woolfrey, J.

Weakley, D. Coates, H. Utz, J. Parker, W. Gore, R. Noakes, C. Chilton, Mr. W. Caldwell. Missing frem picture: B. Utz.



First row: M. Sisk, P. Dulin, B. Dulin, S. Thompson, L. Butler, W. Brown, M. Harding, F. Kibler, Mr. F. Binns.

Second row: E. Rogers, M. Arrowood, N. Cave, E. Weakley, W. Estes, B. Jenkins, F. Barfield, E. Pritt, M. Carder.

Winning Streak Extended To Twenty-Seven

Shirley Thompson
Frances Barfield
Mr. Floyd Binns

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Date Opponent Pla	ce C. H. S.	Oppts.	Player	A.B.	H_{\bullet}	Avg.
April 14—StanardsvilleHer	e 12	I	Dulin, B.	27	10	.370
APRIL 20—Marshall	e 12	3	Dulin, P. Brown	22 25		. 500 . 360
April 23—Front Royal	ere 20	7	Kibler	25	12	. 480
May 5—Stanardsville	ere 14	3	Sisk Butler	26 24		. 538 -333
May 7—Front RoyalHer	re 9	7	Bragg	19	5	. 236
May 11—MarshallThe	ere 16	3	Harding Thompson	18 25	10	.611 .400

Six wins and no losses in the 1954 season extended the winning streak of the Culpeper High School Softball Devilettes to 27 games over a period of three and a half years. The long winning streak was blamed for the restricted schedule of only six games, the coach finding it difficult to find teams who were willing to take on the victory-laden Devilettes. They scheduled one less game than the year before, and Warren County was the only team appearing on both 1953 and 1954 schedules.

Nine members of the 1953 season returned and seven rookies joined them. Shirley Thompson, captain and pitcher, was the only player to be lost to the 1955 team by graduation. Thompson made two triples, the only ones of the season. Margaret Harding had two doubles and was followed by Winnie Brown, Mary Sisk, Peggy Dulin, and Barbara Dulin with one each.

P. Dulin, leading the walks with four, was followed by Jacquelin Bragg, Thompson, Harding, each one having two. B. Dulin, Brown, Frances Kibler, Naomi Cave, and Lillie Butler were handed one walk a piece.

The team collected 10 homeruns and a total of 83 runs for the season. Brown was homerun champion with three, followed by Thompson and P. Dulin, with two each, and B. Dulin, Kibler, and Butler had one each.

"C" Girls Campaign for School Spirit

A campaign for creating school spirit was the main objective of the Girls' Monogram Club this year. As a part of the campaign they decorated a bulletin board stressing the importance of school spirit.

Running the candy store at lunchtime was one of the club's major jobs. It was run entirely by the girls who are members of the Monogram Club. All workers in the store must be approved by the sponsor of the store, Mr. Floyd Binns, and the principal, Mr. James H. Combs. Workers served on two Members who had a fourth period study hall ate lunch early and took the first shift. Others came on at 12:45. One-third of the store profits went toward buving the girls' athletic association equipment. Jacquelin Bragg, Winnie Brown, and Willie Estes acted as treasurers counting the money daily and turning it over to the school treasurer.

A new project this year for the club was the selling of white shirts. These shirts had an insignia of a blue devil on the front and were offered for sale to the whole student body.

For the second time the club competed with the Boys' Monogram Club in the March of Dimes race down Main Street. The girls collected \$58 dollars for the Drive even though the boys' club won the race. The girls raced on the sidewalk from Gayheart's corner south and the boys chalked the side next to the bank.

The club held its second initiation since its beginning, for the new members of the club late in the spring. The new members were made to dress in miscellaneous costumes and to wear them all day. The girls of the club held a private initiation at the end of the day to finish "welcoming" these newcomers into the club.

Peggy Dulin	President
Barbara Dulin	ce President
Frances Kibler	Secretary
Margaret Harding	Treasurer
BARBARA SPILMAN	Reporter
Miss Sara Sherman	Adviser



First row: Miss S. Sherman, F. Kibler, P. Dulin, M. Harding, B. Dulin, B. Spilman. Second row: M. Sisk, M. Ford, A. Griffin, B. Carpenter, F. Barfield, M. Thompson.

Third row: L. Butler, N. Cave, B. Hundley, S. Willis, J. Tutwiler, W. Brown, Fourth row: K. Brown, E. Rogers, M. Kilby, E. Weakley, W. Estes, J. Bragg.



Front row: Mr. B. Walker. J. Geest, R. Myers, W. Cropp, J. Bache. Second row: R. Dodson, F. Brault, R. Grimsley, J. Hopkins, J. Weakley, R. Printz, R. Robson. Third row: J. Weakley, R. Tinsley, W. Hawkins, E. Duncan, D.

Bayne, J. Pruett, G. Timmons. Fourth row: R. Brown, K. Haverstock, J. Combs, H. Crane, J. James, M. Dillard, L. Baumgardner. Fifth row: D. Dugan, J. Burke, J. Payne, G. Bryson, F. Yancey, A. Johnson, J. Korte.

"Dinks" Feature Three Dances

Roger Myers	President
WILLIAM CROPP	
James Geest	Secretary
James Bache	Treasurer
Mr. Bobby Walker	

Entertaining their members with three dances, entering a float in the Homecoming Parade, taking the annual trip to Washington to the Major League Baseball game, and helping at varsity games, constituted the major activities of the Junior Monogram Club, more commonly referred to as the "Rinky-dinks".

The float resembled a bowling green, with the "ten-pins" placed in a triangular position, and each bearing the monogram "M" for Manchester. A Blue Devil held a bowling ball carrying the sign "The Devils Will Bowl Over Manchester."

The first dance, just before Christmas, was opened to the student body. The club also featured a barn dance, limited to the club members and lettermen. The biggest event of the year was the Easter dance April I, open to the student body, and at which Mr. James Logan's orchestra played. The cafeteria

was decorated with life-size Easter bunnies.

During football season the "Dinks" performed a big service to the athletic department when they took over parking cars, serving as ushers, walking fences, and collecting tickets at the home football games. To make money, they sponsored a Seniors versus Faculty basketball game March 8.

On Awards Day the Monogram Club presented a trophy to the outstanding Junior Varsity athlete of the year. Presented for the first time in 1953, the trophy went that year to James Combs and James Weakley the following year.

The Junior Varsity Monogram Club defeated the Girls' Monogram Club in a race of dimes on the sidewalks of Main Street for the benefit of the March of Dimes. The boys collected \$120 while the girls collected \$58. Initiation of new members closed the year's activities.

Jayvee Cheeerleaders Build Up Pep

"We've got a T-E-A-M That's on the B-E-A-M We've got a T-E-A-M That's on the B-E-A-M, So it's hep to the jive, Come on Rinkydinks Skin them alive. Yea team!"

This was the favorite yell of the eight girls who made up the Junior Varsity Cheerleaders' squad. They had met during the summer and decided on their new uniforms choosing navy blue skirts, white sweaters, and white bucks. In September under their new captain, Mary Peters, they donned the new uniforms at the first jayvee football game. These jayvee cheerleaders sought to arouse support from the spectators and to give courage and enthusiasm to the jayvee teams. Before the first game, the athletic department presented new gold letters to this morale building group.

Cheering for the Junior Varsity team, home and away, was their main responsibility. Before each jayvee game they spent some time decorating one goal post in the traditional blue and gold, and one in the opponent's colors.

They also sold programs before each home varsity game.

The cheerleaders decorated a convertible with blue and gold streamers and rode through town as a part of the Homecoming parade. They led the crowd in yells all along the line of march. They were present Thursday evening as a group for the annual bonfire before the Homecoming game, November 5.

The cheerleaders practiced after school every other day making new yells, and, when football season was over, they revised the yells and started practicing for basketball season. They raised money for their activities by selling cookies and candy in the cafeteria at lunchtime.

Basketball season arrived and the cheerleaders were present for the Junior Varsity games which were always played preceding the varsity ones and sat as a group during the varsity games. Here they gave concentrated support to the Varsity Cheerleaders.

In the spring the sponsor and the Varsity Cheerleaders chose the members for next year's squad. The girls lined up in a row and went through a couple of yells together. The Varsity Cheerleaders and sponsor then judged them on their agility, jump, pep, and gracefulness in carrying out the cheers.



From lower right clockwise: D. Callahan, M. Smoot, M. Haverstock, M. Peters, S. Coughlin, P. Brown, B. Troxell, C. Callahan.

Cheerleaders Revive School Spirit



ELIZABETH PRESTON
PATRICIA MILLS



MAXINE KILBY BEVERLEY CARPENTER



Mozelia Ford

EMILY ROGERS, Captain



KATHRYN BROWN BETTY HUNDLEY



JOYCE TUTWILER SARAH WILLIS

Devils, Devilettes Enter Sports



First baseman, D. Coates, top left, awaits throw from pitcher in surprise play to catch Fredericksburg runner off base. D. Coates, top right, puts shot in Fredericksburg meet at Woodberry Forest for a win. In a later meet he breaks record. Stanardsville's catcher, bottom left, awaits

throw at home plate, as Barbara Dulin of the Culpeper Devilettes runs home. Richard Robson, No. 60, throws a block as David Coates, No. 76, bottom right, plows through the Madison line.

On the diamonds located across the field from the buildings, the baseball and softball teams met their opponents in all home games. Because of the lack of lights all games for both teams were played on Tuesday and Friday in the afternoon. When the games were away they played on the same days but the baseball team sometimes played at night.

Culpeper High School does not have a track, so all the home track meets were held at Wood-

berry Forest. Members of the track team, because of the lack of track facilities in Culpeper, often journeyed to Woodberry after school to practice.

All the football games except three were played on Friday nights. The Devils journeyed to Augusta Military Academy to play on Friday afternoon and to Chester and Falls Church on Saturday afternoons.

Competition Reigns Supreme



R. Tinsley. No. 35, and J. Weakley. No. 34, top left, jump for the rebounds while J. Amos, No. 5, of Culpeper and Thompson, No. 23, of Fredericksburg await the tip from their teammates. J. Jenkins, top right, comes in for a lay-up as Devers of Rappahannock moves in to guard him. R.

Ingram and R. Colvin come in to cover the shot in case of a rebound. B. Dulin. bottom left. makes lay-up from far court in the Warrenton game, as she is guarded by opposing players. M. Thompson and V. Parker, bottom right, scramble for ball with J. Houck, of Spotsylvania.

The boys and girls basketball games were played on Tuesdays and Fridays. When the boys played away, the girls games were played at 4:00 in the afternoon so that the girls and boys could see each other play. This gave the students an opportunity to see four games a week in some cases.

All games played on the home court at night

started at 7:00 with the Junior Varsity team playing first, followed by the varsity games. Except for a few instances, the teams both played eight minute quarters. When they did not play eight minute quarters the Junior Varsity teams played six minutes and the varsity eight minutes.



CHAPTER V

"To Mary and me and to all our friends, school life is more than just studying. This does not mean that we do not like to study, but that we like to do other things, too. These outside activities help prepare us for the world in which we are going to live.

"During the first month of school we saw the year's first football game and sat for the first time in the new stadium. At the beginning of the second month, thoughts of the Homecoming game filled our minds. coming game filled our minds. We in-augurated our third month in school by attending our first school dance of the year. During the fourth month we saw our first basketball game, also we attended the annual Christmas dance. After Christmas there were more dances and many new events in which to participate. The event of the year for the Juniors and Seniors was the Junior-Senior Prom. Graduation was close and we began saying good-by to all our friends. Our school vear was about over.

"On the next part of the tour we will have pictures of some of the highlights of the year."

Doors Reopen September 1

Students came for the '54-'55 session, September I. With 83 seniors, IIO juniors, II3 sophomores, I25 freshmen, and I49 eighth graders, the new term was ready to start. Twenty-seven teachers, six of whom were new to the CHS system, made up the faculty who were to direct the learning activities of the students.

Since everyone knew that a hard year awaited him, each student started to work at once. Old friends greeted each other in the halls and recounted stories of the summer's activities; new students tried to locate their classes. As usual, a few dissatisfied students tried to change their schedules. The law-breakers again received warning slips when the monitors made their appearance.

Athletics for the year began as football practice started. There were few experienced players returning to the squad.

The officers of the SCA took over the matters of the school government, after an impressive installation program.

A new club, the Junior Tri-Hi-Y, composed of eighth and ninth grade girls, made its debut. The Girls' Monogram Club opened the school store at lunch period. A little later proud seniors acquired their class rings.

The feet of J. Weakley, H. Mills, and R. Weakley, top picture, seem to drag as they move toward the building on the first day of the 1954-55 year. Miss V. Lewis, second picture, installs B. Dulin as SCA President at assembly, September 24. Ruby, aquamarine, emerald, and opal setting adorn the senior rings, ordered in the previous spring, and which may be first worn in September. Renovated by the athletic department during the spring and summer, the stadium, bottom picture, was ready for the opening football game.









S. Willis, top, sits for her individual picture for the Colonnade. J. Moore, second picture, helps at the dart-throwing booth, featured at the Junior Tri-Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y annual carnival on October 30. M. Jenkins, next to bottom, crashes through the end of the Fredericksburg line. Getting an early start forensic debaters, bottom, make preliminary preparations for the contest in March. Ann Griffin, only girl on first squad, talks as C. Chilton. J. Combs, S. Colvin, J. Yowell, and J. Burke listen. Griffin, Colvin, Burke, and Combs were Culpeper's finalists.





Hazel Disrupts Classes

School life became humdrum. Eighth graders learned rules and traditions, and found that it was best not to go up the down steps. Hurricane Hazel blew in October 15 closing school at 11:30 to the delight of the students. School closed also for District N and VEA meetings October 1 and 29.

End of the first six-week grading period made all realize that studying was necessary. The COLONNADE Staff had group and individual pictures taken. Students caught up with the news in the first *Pepergram*. Ghosts and goblins reigned October 30, as the Tri-Hi-Y and the Junior Tri-Hi-Y held their Halloween Carnival.



D. Coates, top left, carries the ball as M. Jenkins blocks for him. Mr. J. Combs, CHS principal, presents gift to Miss M. Bolen on Alumni Night, while Mr. E. Kerrick, President CHS Alumni Association, looks on. S. Hall, center, Homecoming Queen, is surrounded by her at-

tendants, from top right clockwise, B. Spilman, P. Dulin, H. Mills, M. Kilby, and F. Kibler. FBLA Float, lower left, is first place winner; Homeroom 26, lower right, takes second place.

Homecoming Spotlighted

The first week in November moved by fast and was filled with frenzied activity. Everyone was in a rush preparing for Homecoming, November 5. The big day dawned cold and clear, and students' voices filled the halls with excited chatter. Students worked on the different floats until 12:00 at which time they were judged. This year the judges came to the school and judged the construction and then judged the appearance during the actual parade. The FBLA's float copped first prize with Homeroom No. 26 coming in second.

Students began to relax after the parade, but the football boys became tense waiting for the big game. That night saw the stadium full of people and ready for the conflict. The end of the Homecoming celebration took place Saturday night when the alumni honored the class of 1919 with a party in the cafeteria.

The last football game followed by the first dance the same night, the Dramatic Club play, the Sadie Hawkins dance, and District SCA Convention kept November crowded.



After a fast break in the first game of the season, J. Korte, left, makes a lay-up. J. Burke is in background. FBLA members, top right, consult Mrs. H. McCall, left, about gifts the club made for pre-Christmas sale. Talking with Mrs. McCall are J. Backe, C. Carter, and B. Pound.

Hiding behind the Christmas tree at the Tri-Hi-Y Christmas dance, *lower right*, are E. Rogers and E. Gaines. Couples dancing are P. Yancey and B. Aylor, C. Seale, R. Ballinger, and J. Ballinger and F. Peters.

Holiday Spirit Invades Classrooms

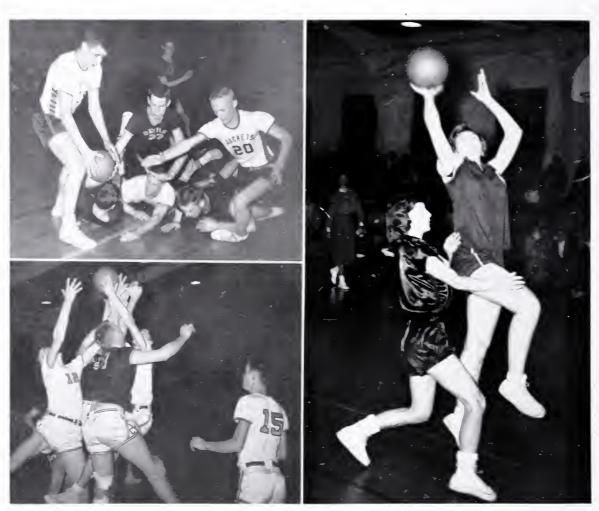
Knowing that a holiday was right around the corner, December seemed to move very slowly, but preparing for the approaching holidays put everyone in a festive mood. Students decorated homeroom doors with wreaths of evergreens, bordered bulletin boards and blackboards with Christmas cards, and trimmed Christmas trees in the rooms.

The FBLA made yarn dolls to be worn as pins, to sell to the students for Christmas gifts. A "Hobby Lobby" was opened by the FHA in the Homemaking Department. There students could purchase many useful articles at economical prices.

The COLONNADE staff met the first deadline

by getting individual and group pictures to the engraver and writers started to work on copy. Basketball teams opened their seasons and Tuesday and Friday nights drew players and spectators.

The Glee Club gave an impressive concert on December 12 and furnished the music for the Tri-Hi-Y pageant, December 17. The Y Clubs presented their annual Christmas dance, which required food or a toy for admission. Every homeroom had a Christmas party in the afternoon of December 22, the last school day before the holiday. Each homeroom also packed a Christmas basket for the Community Christmas Program.



Dark uniformed Devil Cagers, top left, scramble for ball. W. Jones, center, is surrounded by J. Geest, E. Gaines, on floor, and J. Weakley, in background. Three white uni-

formed Jackets, lower left, are in the melee with E. Gaines. F. Kibler, right, goes in air for push-up shot in Warrenton game.

Snow, Exams, Basketball Take Over

Christmas behind them for another year. students and teachers returned to school on January 4. Reviewing for exams was the main activity in the classroom. Students had just settled down and gotten back in the swing of things when another holiday presented itself. Thanks to a snow storm students could rest for a day, and exams moved one day farther away. January 19 was dreaded by all students, for it was the beginning of exams. For the

next two days students suffered under the heavy load of added study.

March of Dimes Drive invaded the school and its Talent Show found a large number of students participating and helping to enliven the program. Teen-Age Party Time, a recently initiated community project, drew teen-agers every Saturday night. There was dancing from 9 to 11.



Mr. and Mrs. W. Favre, top left, dance to the strains of Billy Little John and His Silhouettes at the Sweetheart Cotillion. Chosen king and queen of the dance by the chaperones, J. Yowell and A. Printz, top right, are caught

in front of a moon after they were crowned. Couples enjoying the dance are S. Edwards and E. Kirkpatrick, left, R. Myers and E. Rogers, second left, and K. Dobyns and C. Haught, far right.

Snow Postpones Cotillion Gaiety

The Sweetheart Cotillion was postponed until the next night, because of a sudden snow storm. To the students, presidents, and sponsors of the Y clubs this was a disaster because the orchestra booked for the twelfth could not come on the thirteenth. After some fast thinking and a few telephone calls a band was finally acquired.

The annual Career Day planned by the

guidance committee for juniors and seniors was held on February 24. This gave the upperclassmen a chance to speak with representatives from the colleges in which they were interested. After the general assembly the afternoon was divided into three periods so that each student would have the opportunity of visiting three representatives from either a college or a business concern.



Juniors and Seniors dance in the gym. gaily decorated for the 1954 Junior-Senior Prom. Juniors used the theme, "My Blue Heaven." Miss L. Thornhill, Junior Class

sponsor, presents a carnation to W. Burton as he arrives at dance. Supplying the music for the dance are Ray Houser and his orchestra.

Juniors Splurge To Honor Seniors

Having looked forward to the Junior-Senior Prom ever since their first year in high school, the Juniors exercised all their talents raising sufficient funds and then in staging the annual Junior-Senior Prom. Only juniors and seniors and their outside dates and faculty members could attend.

Coaches sounded the call for participants in spring sports. Boys and girls flocked to the softball, track, and baseball fields. Warm days appeared but not enough to help the teams. Cold. rainy, and windy weather in early March found the girls and boys parcticing pitching, catching, and running in the gym and cafeteria.

The Virginia High School League Forensic contests for Group II. District 2. was held for the first time at Culpeper, March 26. Events included public speaking, reading, spelling, and debating.



V. King, top left, rounds the track on the last lap in first place at Woodberry. D. Coates, center, participates in the broad jump at a track meet. E. Gaines, right top, prepares to send the shot through the air, as Mr. J. Stover watches.

W. Brown, lower left, rounds third base after hitting the first homerun of the season. Behind the plate, H. Pritt, lower right, catches the ball on the throw from pitcher.

Outdoor Sports Engage Boys, Girls

With the warm spring weather having finally arrived baseball, softball, and track teams engaged the greatest number of students. Other club activities were the Easter Dance staged by the Junior Monogram Club and the Spanish Club's annual banquet, with a dance later. The Easter dance, open to the entire school, had an orchestra from Luray to provide the music.

The most activity came during the last week

in April. The band practiced hard and furiously to be ready for the Apple Blossom Festival. While the musicians were off on their trip, the representatives of the COLONNADE and Pepergram journeyed to Lexington to the Southern Interscholastic Press Association Convention. Four students from each staff and the two advisers made the trip.



M. Kilby, R. Bayne, and R. Haught, top picture, view their diplomas after graduation. J. Bledsoe, lower left, delivers one of the student speeches at graduation. Signing

COLONNADES, lower right, on Class Day are B. Norris, J. Heffin, and A. Covell.

Seniors Reach Last Lap In High School

With their class play just over and after five years of hoping, planning, working, and wishing, the seniors arrived at their last week. Class Day initiated this week's exciting days. The hard looks of seniors caught more than one underclassman coming through the privileged front door. At Class Day assembly girls walked daintily down the aisle in white dresses, followed by boys arrayed in suits. The last will and testament, class prophecy, senior personalities,

class poem, motto, and class history were read. The seniors sang their song and then eagerly went to get their Colonnades. The rest of the afternoon was spent in getting autographs.

The Senior Sermon followed on Sunday night. Seniors were aware that the end of school was near.

Graduation came, and, with diplomas in hands, proud seniors walked down the aisle as students for the last time.



CHAPTER VI

"Johnny and I have introduced you to all of our friends at school. We have tried to bring to you a portrayal of what goes on in our school year at Culpeper High School. Now on the next pages we would like to introduce to you the friendly merchants in Culpeper and surrounding counties, who have found our book a truly fine advertising medium. Without the interest and assistance of these merchants many of our activities here in the school and out of school could not be carried out. The

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we feel that we have caught the ones which we think typifies a year at our school.

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Students rush to cars and buses of the 3:15 bell



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Student workers in cafeteria help serve the Members of the Junior Dramatic Club caught in a scene from their play



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Hall sisters perform at the Sweetheart Cotillian



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FBLA members serve caakies, punch ot get-acquainted sociol



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Members of the staff sign each athers COLONNADES at the annual bonquet

